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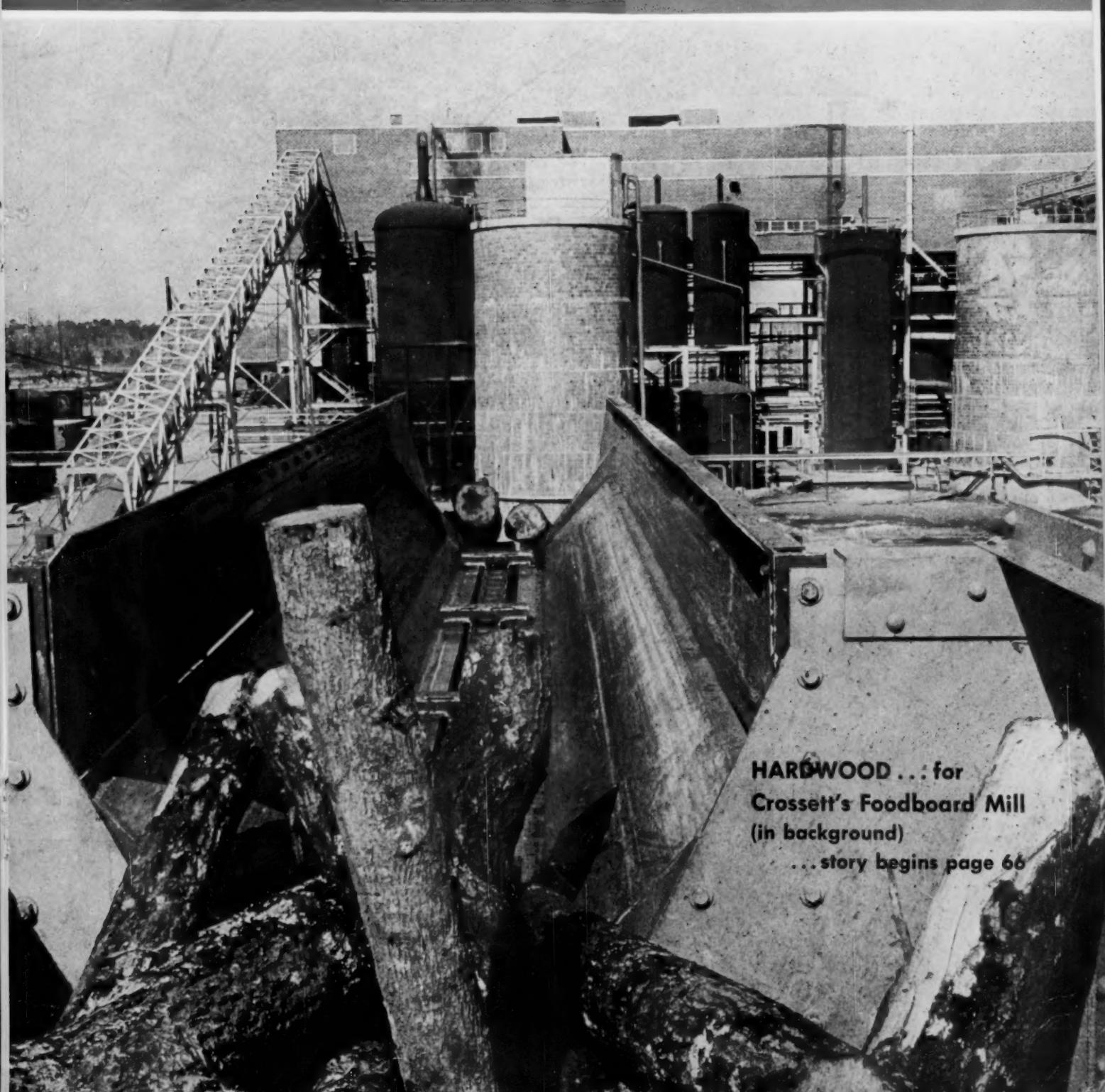
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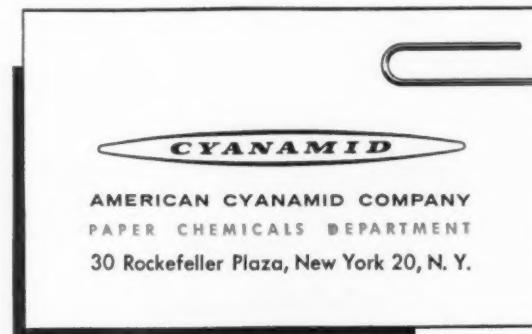
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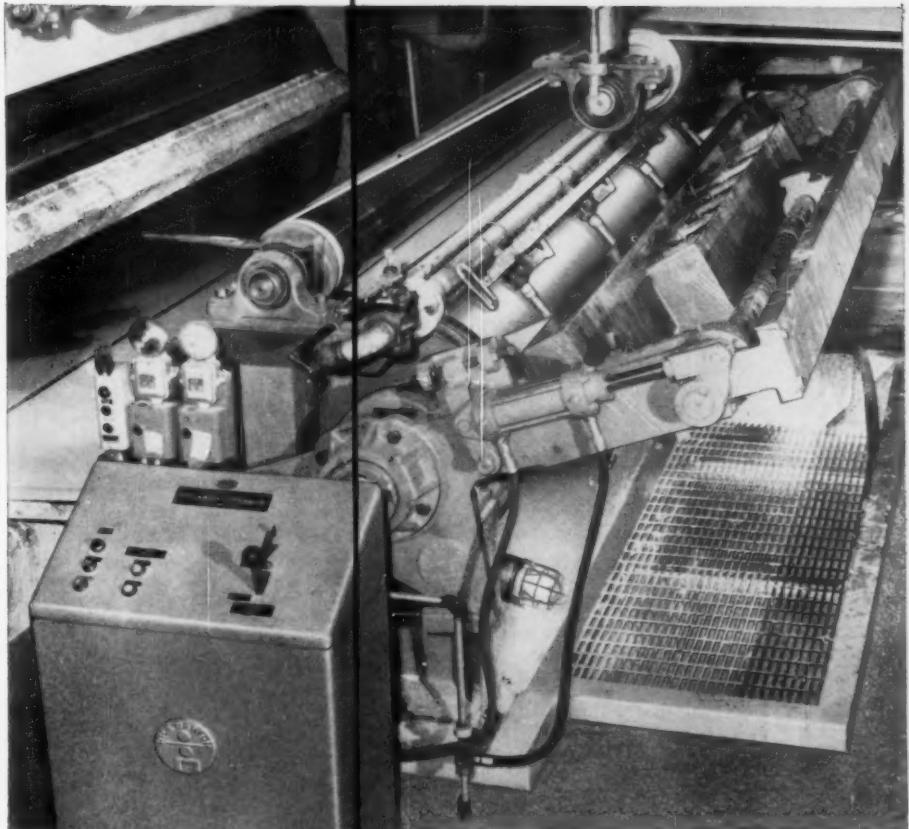


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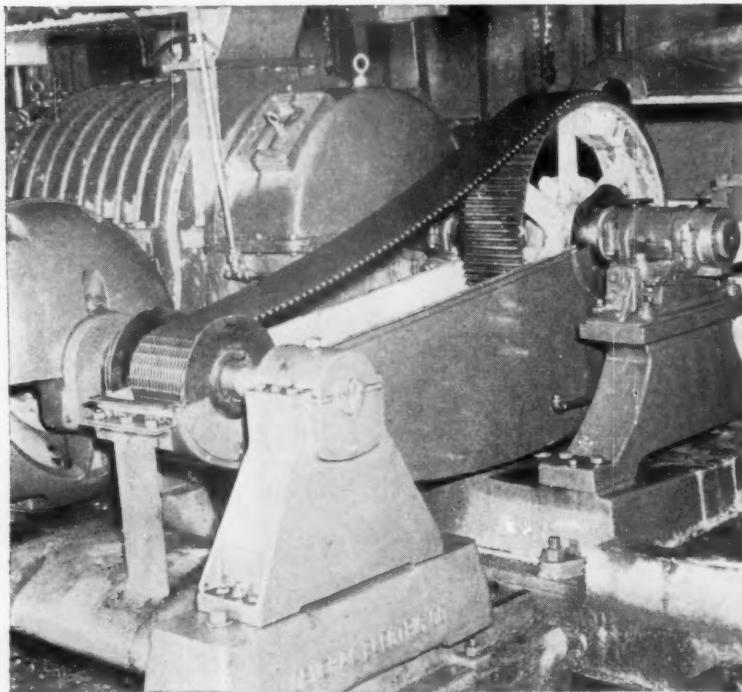
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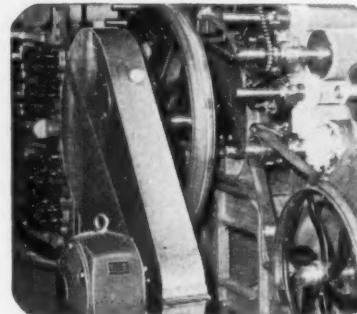
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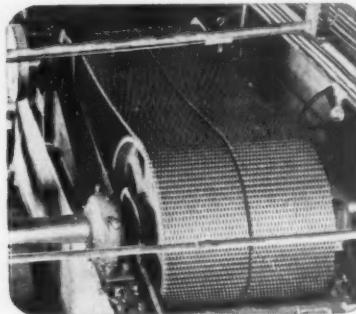
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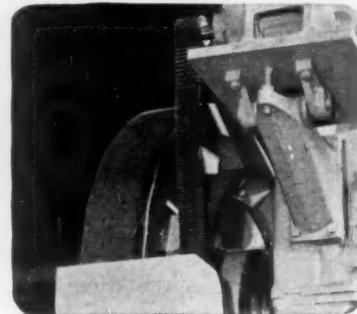
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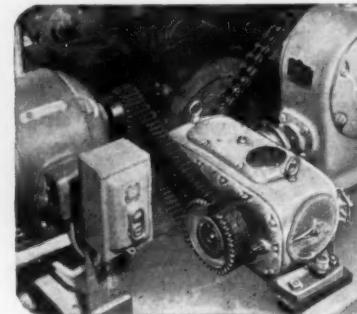
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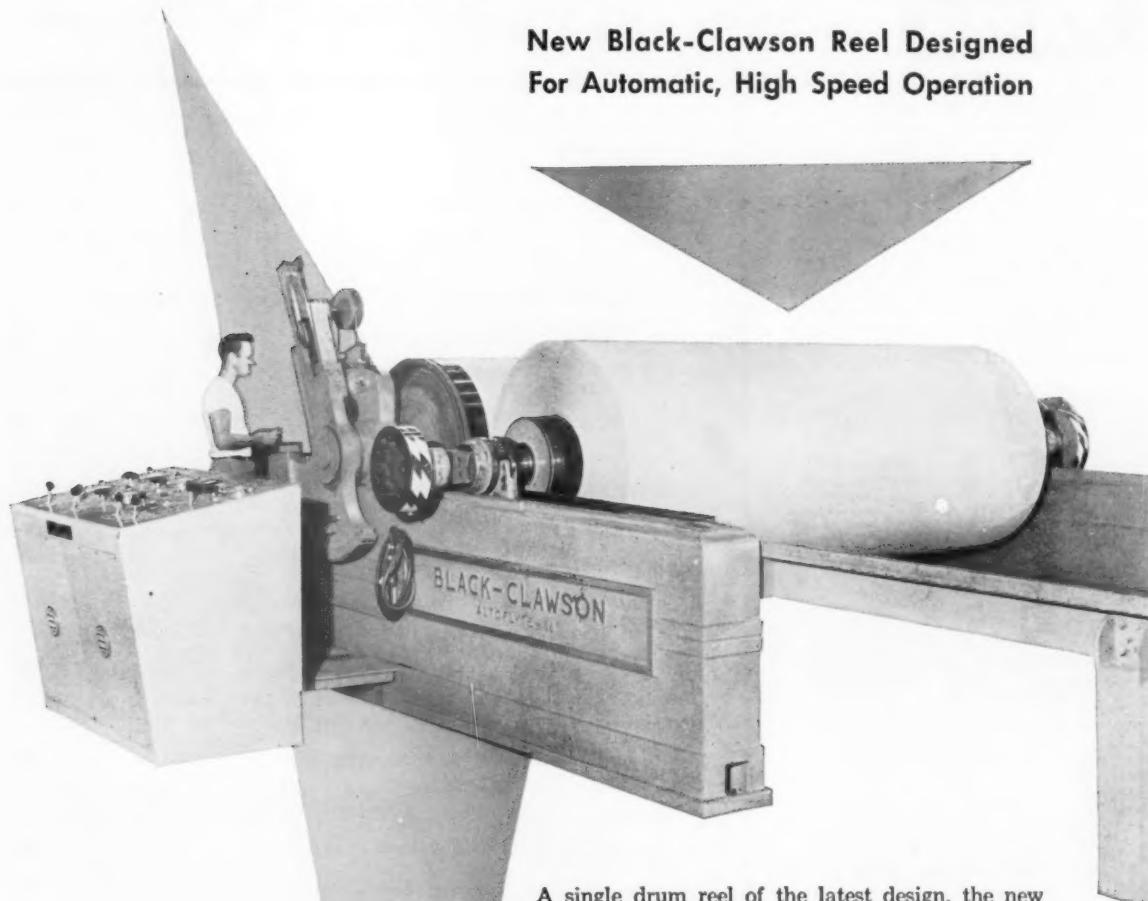
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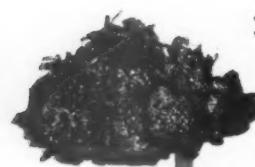
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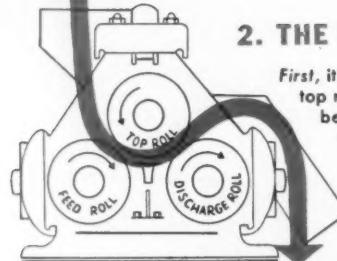
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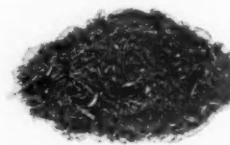
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**Canadians on Tour  
Of English, Scottish Mills**

—London

A large group of Canadian pulp and paper makers and wives are on tour of many "old country" Scottish and English mills as guests of the British industry's technical section.

Famous old names of mills like the Inverurie Mills in Scotland, the Stoneywoof Works in Bucksburn, the Pool-in-Wharfdale Mills, Kemsley & Sittingbourne, Chartham Mills near Canterbury, the Albert E. Reed & Co.'s Aylesford Mills, the Northfleet Paper Mills, Thames Board Mills are included. No less than 41 mills in all have opened their doors.

Some 50 or more Canadians were making the trip which began at Edinburgh Sept. 24, ending in London Oct. 24. Of course, famous historic spots were to be seen, too. The Canadians will attend a British "TAPPI" meeting and also dances and receptions given by the Scottish, Northern West of England and London divisions.

Syracuse, N.Y., U.S.A.  
**GOES TO URUGUAY** . . . Fred-  
eric W. O'Neil, chairman of the de-

partment of pulp and paper technology, State University College of Forestry, Syracuse University, has been granted sabbatical leave for one year to serve as director of a new technical development program for a pulp and paper company in Montevideo, Uruguay. Accompanied by his wife and two sons, he left Sept. 1. In 1946-1948, he was given leave of absence to work on the then new chemi-groundwood process and pulping of hardwoods.

Madison, Wis., U.S.A.

**LEAVES FOR PHILIPPINES** . . . Forrest A. Simmonds, U.S. Forest Products Laboratory, left Madison Sept. 3 for a 5-month assignment as pulp and paper consultant to the Philippine Institute of Forest Products Research, which is being established near Manila. En route, he will visit a new semichemical pulp mill in Osaka, Japan.

His stay in the Philippines is sponsored by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations. He will help develop a research program for the Institute and train Filipino scientists. "One of the first jobs of the Institute will be to investigate the pulping characteristics of available species," he said.

—Montreal

**PROJECTS IN FIVE COUNTRIES** . . . Fred Hurter, of Stadler, Hurter & Co., announces his company is presently retained by Sanyo Pulp Ltd., Japan, for the design of a 90 metric ton per day dissolving pulp mill using Japanese red pine as raw material. Stadler, Hurter also has been retained by Pan-American Textiles of Brazil for the design and engineering of a

100 metric ton per day kraft pulp mill using eucalyptus as raw material.

"In addition we are working on the design of a newsprint and kraft pulp mill in Mexico—the Celulosa de Mi-choacan—which will produce 125 metric tons per day of newsprint and 100 tons per day of semi-bleached kraft pulp, as well as lumber and boxes," Mr. Hurter told PULP & PAPER.

"The construction of a project on which we have been working in Sweden is near completion. This is the Backhammare Bruk A/B mill at Bjorneborg—a 100 metric ton per day kraft pulp and Yankee paper machine installation for the production of wrapping and M.G. kraft specialty papers.

"The work that we have undertaken in France for La Cellulose du Rhone and Papeteries de la Chappelle is near completion."

—New York

**OPENS SWITZERLAND OFFICE** . . . A new long range planning section under Dr. Albert Bloom has been added to the Commercial Development Dept. of the Dyestuff and Chemical Div. of General Aniline & Film Corp., announces P. M. Dinkins, vice president—operations of the division. This is part of a general plan for expansion under supervision of Dr. Jesse Werner, director of commercial development.

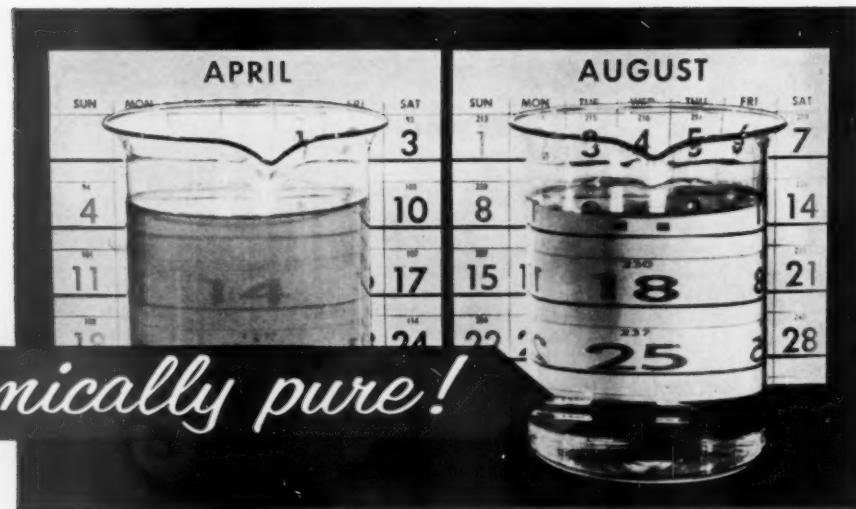
A new responsibility for the Commercial Development Dept. is maintaining liaison with technical activities abroad. Dr. W. W. Williams, formerly technical assistant to the division's sales manager-dyestuffs, has been appointed foreign technical representative. He will make his headquarters in Switzerland.



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**ANOTHER RECORD YEAR FOR PULP "GROWTH" INDUSTRY . . .** Production of woodpulp in the United States during the first half of 1956 scored a 10% gain over output in the comparable period of 1955. Consumption was 9% ahead. Gains in both production and consumption for the half-year exceeded one million tons.

Lawson P. Turcotte, president, Puget Sound Pulp and Timber Co., foresees another record-breaking year, in which the U.S. industry will consume close to 25 million tons of pulp, of which about 23 million tons will be produced at home and 2 million tons will be imported.

Pulp production totaled 11,302,000 tons in the first half of the current year, Turcotte reports, up from 10,291,000 tons in the 1955 period.

"Pulp manufacture is a natural growth industry," Mr. Turcotte declares. "Its growth is supported not only by increase in consuming population but by a parade of new products and new uses for products made of pulp. A considerable amount of new pulp-making capacity is scheduled to come into operation during 1957 and 1958. In view of the long established record, it remains to be seen whether these additions will materially alter the historic relationship between pulp supply and demand."

**PAPER'S EXPANSION IS NOT "TOO MUCH" . . .** "Pulp and paper is certainly growing fast enough without having to exaggerate it," says Dr. Louis T. Stevenson, former economist of American Paper & Pulp Assn., and now head of the paper department at Tucker, Anthony & Co.

Here is how a recent McGraw-Hill survey shows the industry's annual capacity from 1950 to 1959, based on a sampling survey, compared with index numbers developed for the APPA survey based on comprehensive coverage:

	McGraw-Hill	APPA
1950	100	100
1951	104	102.9
1952	116	105.8
1953	124	111.8
1954	130	116.8
1955	139	120.3
1956	153	127.6
1957		136.1
1958		140.6
1959	194	

"If the industry were to install by 1959, 194% of its 1950 capacity," emphasizes Dr. Stevenson, "the ratio of production to capacity, if we are to take the Stanford Research Institute's forecast of production for 1960, would be 64%. This would be a catastrophic low percentage which has been reached in only one year, to my knowledge, that of the depression year of 1932."

"This would be unbelievable folly," continues Dr. Stevenson, "if it is true, which I, for one, most seriously question."

Regarding recent magazine forecasts, ranking pulp and paper as the second or third fastest growing industry, he said it is not possible to determine with any degree of accuracy a ranking for any particular industry with respect to its growth rate as compared with all industries.

"The paper industry has a solid and high rate of growth. I personally do not think there is too much expansion. The industry must be prepared at all times to meet the needs of its customers and the 5,000,000 to 7,000,000 tons it plans on should not be considered excessive in view of its growth pattern."

**EVERY BABY CREATES DEMAND FOR 15 MORE TONS OF PAPER . . .** Every baby born today creates a lifetime demand for at least 15 tons of paper.

J. D. Zellerbach, president of Crown Zellerbach Corp., made this



**Predictions—Pulp and Paper**

LAWSON TURCOTTE (left), Pres. of Puget Sound Pulp & Timber Co.—"Pulp is a natural growth industry supported not only by increasing population but a parade of new products and new uses." DR. LOUIS T. STEVENSON (right), former APPA Economist—"As far as paper is concerned, I do not think there is too much expansion."

IN THE PARLANCE OF THE INVESTMENT WORLD, "Growth Industry" is a term used to differentiate certain industries from those which, by their very nature, are necessarily static, others that are speculative, etc. It has only been in recent years that most of the investment world has recognized pulp and paper as a genuine "Growth Industry." Its planning is longterm, its markets and uses are basic, they keep increasing, and it is the only major industry based upon a renewable resource—trees. Depressions may come and go—they will never wipe out trees.

statement in a recent address. He predicted that paper production will double in the next 20 years.

**INTERNATIONAL PAPER-LONG-BELL PLAN OKAYED . . .** Merger of Long-Bell Lumber Corp. and Long-Bell Lumber Co. into International Paper Co. has at last been approved by directors of each of the three companies. The agreement will be submitted at special stockholder meetings of the companies in October.

Long-Bell Lumber Corp. owns a majority of the outstanding capital stock of Long-Bell Lumber Co., which is an important producer and merchandiser of lumber and Douglas fir and ponderosa pine plywood. Its principal properties—woodlands, sawmills and plywood plants—are in the Pacific Northwest. It has been one of a number of sources of chips for Longview (Wash.) Fibre Co. It also operates retail building material stores and jobbing houses in several states.

Present management and personnel of Long-Bell Lumber Co. will continue to operate these properties as the Long-Bell division of International Paper Co.

Earlier this year I.P. announced that if the merger with the Long-Bell companies were completed, the company plans to construct a mill in Oregon. This mill initially will produce bleached and unbleached paper and paperboard. Consideration is also being given to the eventual production of newsprint at this mill, which would draw on Long-Bell wood resources for a considerable part of its raw material, utilizing chips and other residual material from the lumber mills and plywood plants as well as salvage and

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thinning from Long-Bell's logging and forest management operations.

**CZ OPTIONS MILL SITE NEAR BATON ROUGE . . .** Recording of an option to purchase Fancy Point plantation, Mt. Vernon plantation, and adjoining property located on the Mississippi River between St. Francisville and Baton Rouge, La., has been effected by Crown Zellerbach Corp. The lands comprise 1900 acres with a mile frontage on the river. Located in the southwest corner of West Feliciana Parish, noted for its fabulous ante-bellum plantation homes, the site would be nearest to "Port Hudson," in East Baton Rouge Parish, which derived its name from its steamboat landing in the hey-day of pre-railroad Mississippi river travel.

It has been said for some time that Gaylord Container Corp.'s mill in Bogalusa, La., had about exhausted the availability of its mid-town site with the latest round of improvements, and that further expansion of capacity would come from an entirely new mill in another location. Possessed of a pioneering heritage in pine forest land revitalization, the Gaylord company has consistently expanded its land ownership and the growth thereon.

For convenient pulpwood source for the optioned mill site, Gaylord brought to Crown Zellerbach 124,275 acres of fee forest ownership lands in Livingston Parish and 25,457 acres in St. Helena Parish, distances to the location ranging around 50 miles. These are lush young pine stands under skilled management for up to a decade. The mill at Bogalusa has its own stands nearby, ranging close to 200,000 acres (according to 1953 report, Louisiana Tax Commission), with many a supplementary acre in Mississippi. It would appear that company sources can provide the necessary low-haul pulpwood supply.

**PLANS FOR TEXAS BOARD MILL . . .** Fiber Products Division, Southern Pine Lumber Co., Diboll, Texas, reports on its projected fiber insulation board plant.

The design work is only beginning and equipment has not been selected. The construction of such a fiber board plant is a major undertaking and will consume considerable time because delivery of certain major equipment units will require upwards of 12 months.

**NEW MACHINE FOR CANTON, N.C. . . .** Heading a long-range program for expansion of the production

Champion Paper and Fibre Co., a new 220-in. Fourdrinier paper machine will be installed at the company's Carolina Division. It is expected to be in operation in 1959 at speeds up to 2,000 fpm. It will be one of the world's largest machines making a wide variety of white business papers.

Extensive improvements are also scheduled for production facilities in Champion mills in Ohio and Texas.

A two-story building with 124,000 sq. ft. of floor space will be built at Canton, N.C., to house the new machine, with an attached four-story structure with 50,000 sq. ft. of floor space for its stock preparation equipment.

Pulp production will be increased 150 tons a day, boosting total Carolina output to 1100 tons a day, while paper and paperboard tonnage is expected to jump from 700 to 1050 tons daily. New installations will include another log barking drum, two digesters and additions to the causticizing system, and added washing, screening and bleaching equipment. One unit of a new chlorine dioxide bleaching system is now in production and installation of a second unit is in progress. Expansion also calls for an addition of 43,000 sq. ft. for finishing and shipping areas.

**SAWMILL FIRST . . . THEN PULP . . .** Pacific Northern Timber Co., which holds a 50-year purchase contract on 3 billion ft. of USFS timber in the Wrangell, Alaska, area, was granted a one-year extension by the USFS on fulfilling contract provisions concerning purchase and start-up of a sawmill, according to Pres. Robert F. Johnson of the firm's Portland, Ore., headquarters. The original con-

tract specified that Pacific Northern would have a 40-million bd. ft. per year sawmill in production by Dec. 31, 1957 and that machinery for such mill would be on order by last July 1. The contract also specifies a pulp mill of at least 80 tons per day will be in production by Dec. 31, 1962.

**PUGET PULP BUYS TIMBER . . .** Puget Sound Pulp & Timber Co., Bellingham, Wash., has purchased the sawmill and timber holdings of Arthur Sereth of Vancouver, B.C., including two mills at Nanaimo, 250,000,000 bd. ft. of standing timber on Sechelt Inlet and other forest holdings. Price was over \$2,000,000.

Main interest of Puget Sound Pulp in the Sereth operations was in developing new sources of pulping material. At Sereth's Eureka Sawmills, Nanaimo, a Nicholson barker was installed last year, and a Norman chipper purchased through Canadian Summer Iron Works has been producing chips.

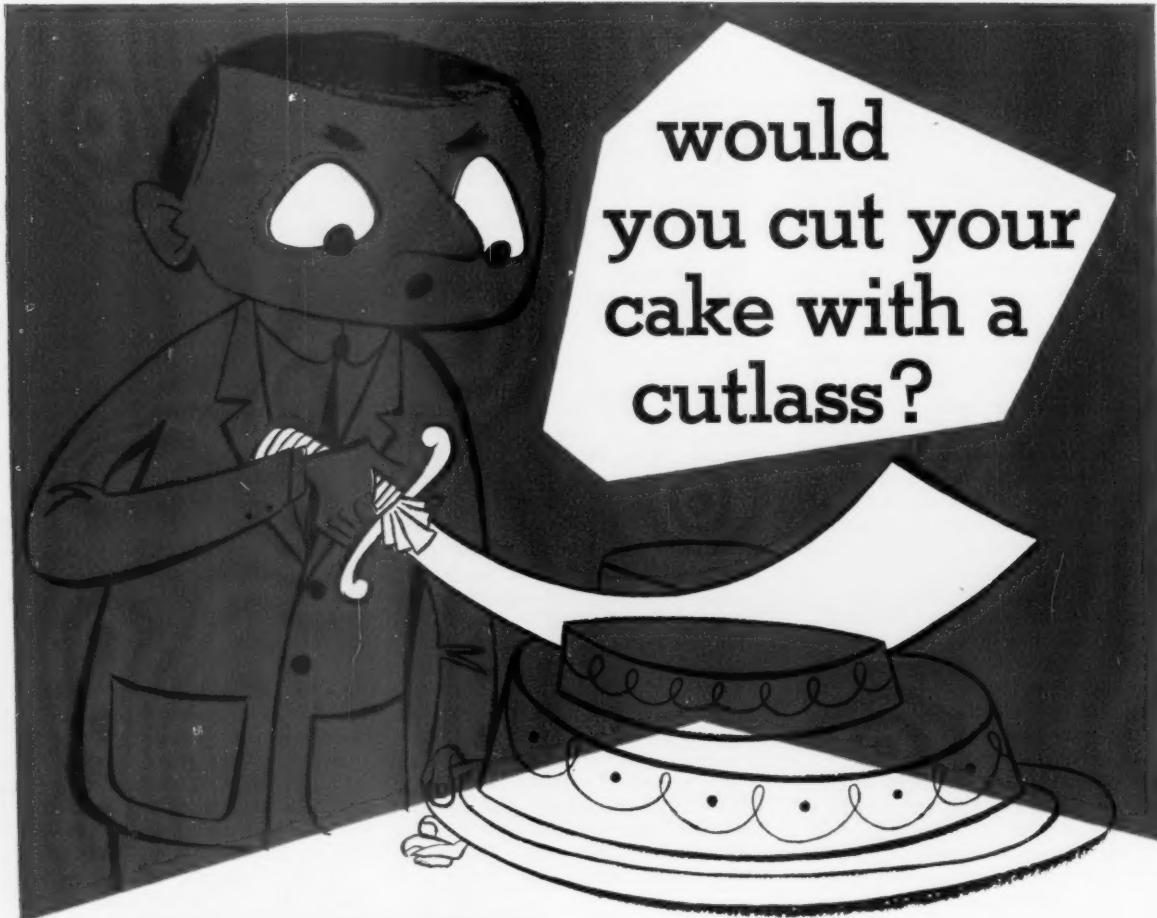
**PLANS ONTARIO NEWSPRINT MILL . . .** Anglo-Newfoundland Development Co. will take up its option with the Ontario government this Fall and proceed with construction of a \$60,000,000 newsprint mill near Sioux Lookout, Ont., according to Lands and Forests Minister Clare Mapledoram.

Sioux Lookout's woman mayor, Helen Hainsworth, says her town's population of 2,500 will be doubled within a few years after the mill is built.

**BROKE RECORDS**—U. S. rayon and acetate producers used a record breaking 634,500 tons of cellulose in 1955, 18% over 1954, and well above the 616,300 tons high in 1951. Of the total, the lion's share was woodpulp—546,900 tons, 86% of the total. Only



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**NEW STEEL PLATE PLANT . . .** Chicago Bridge & Iron Co., Chicago, is building a new steel plate fabricating plant at New Castle, Del., to supplement work done at its Greenville, Pa., plant. The Delaware plant will build storage tanks and other structures for the paper industry and other industries.

**CHEBOYGAN START-UP DELAYED . . .** Rehabilitation of Charmin Paper Mills' newly acquired Cheboygan, Mich., mill has been delayed, company officials announced. Plans for starting operations around Jan. 1 have been extended six to eight months due to late delivery of paper machine equipment. J. M. Conway, company president, said renovation and remodeling of physical properties will continue uninterrupted.

**HAMMERMILL 4-YEAR DEVELOPMENT . . .** Directors of Hammermill Paper Co. have approved, in principle, a four-year plant development program and the first phase is beginning now. Estimated cost of the program is about \$4,000,000. In the first year it will involve primarily construction of a new finishing room and additional pulp-making facilities.

**BROWN TO BUY 3 FIRMS . . .** A commitment to purchase the capital stock of three companies in North Stratford, N.H.—Granite State Veneer, Inc., Plywood Products, Inc., and Stratford Realty Corp. is announced by Brown Co., Berlin, N.H.

"The purchase is in furtherance of Brown Co.'s policy of complete utilization of the mature timber in its forests and those of its neighbors in the Berlin area," said A. E. H. Fair, president of Brown. "Waste materials will be handled at Brown's pulp mills for manufacture of pulp and paper."

**ALBERTA MILL READY IN EARLY 1957 . . .** Construction of Alberta's first pulp mill, being built at Hinton on the eastern slope of the Rocky Mountains by North Western Pulp & Power Ltd., is proceeding well ahead of schedule. It is expected to be in production shortly after the first of next year.

Some 1,400 people are currently engaged in the building of the mill, which will have an annual capacity of 150,000 tons of bleached sulfate pulp, and will represent an investment in

the neighborhood of \$35,000,000. St. Regis Paper Co., which owns a half interest in the project, is directing design and construction and will manage its operation. The other half interest is owned by North Canadian Oils, Ltd. St. Regis will purchase part of the output for its own mills and will sell the balance.

In anticipation of commencement of production in early 1957, timber cutting is well under way on the 3,000 sq. mi. of timberlands on which the company has a long-term grant from Alberta. In addition, 3,000 sq. mi. of timberlands have been granted as a reserve for future expansion.

The 2,000-ft. long log flume in the woodyard is progressing rapidly, and substantial pulpwood is already stored. Structural steel is in an advanced stage of fabrication. Some 90% of the material for the Dominion Engineering Minton dryer is now at the site along with most other major equipment.

Using loblolly pine and white spruce, the mill has the world's largest installation of the new Kamyr continuous cooking process. This process makes it possible to control closely the variables in the cooking process and insure more uniform pulp, say St. Regis executives. Two-stage chlorine dioxide bleaching will be provided in the six-stage bleach plant.

**NICHOLSON DETAILS MILL PLANS . . .** The new Tennessee River Pulp & Paper Co. mill will be engineered by J. E. Sirrine Co., Greenville, S.C., for kraft pulp and board manufacture. It will be on the Tennessee River between Sheffield, Ala., and Savannah, Tenn. G. W. E. Nicholson, president, stated that the plant will have a yearly capacity of 200,000

tons of linerboard and corrugating medium, starting in the second half of 1959. The output will be used by Bell Fibre Products Co., Central Fibre Products Co., Cornell Paperboard Products Co., Hoerner Boxes Inc., and Ohio Boxboard Co., part owners.

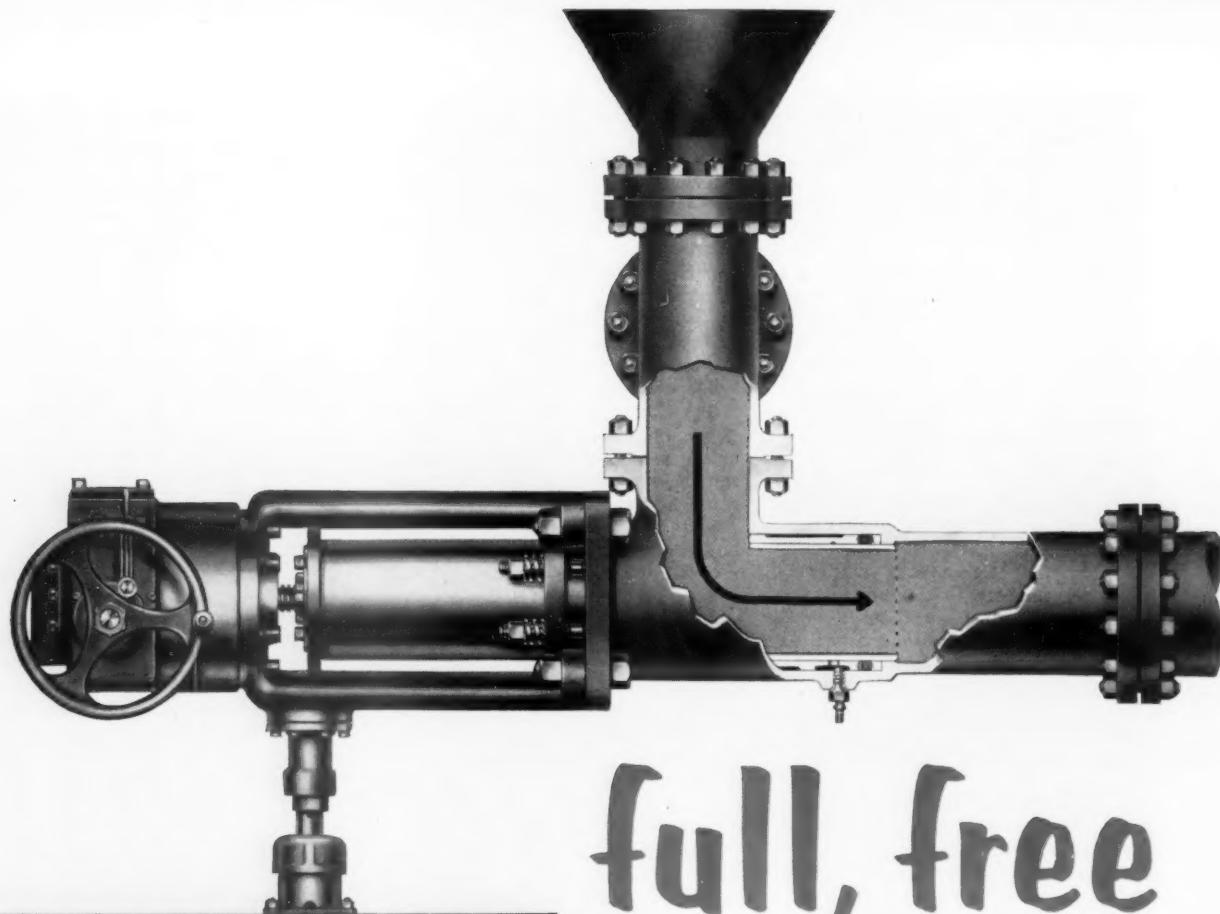
**MERGER APPROVED . . .** Officials of Owens Illinois Glass Co. and National Container Corp. announce that proxy returns from shareholders of both companies to date have been overwhelmingly in favor of the proposed merger of the companies. Managements of the two companies, anticipating stockholders' approval, were working to effect consummation of the merger on October 1.

**FLINTKOTE EXPANSION . . .** The Flintkote Co., through I. J. Harvey, Jr., president, says further important steps in Flintkote's \$20 million expansion program to broaden the company's future earnings base will be announced in the second half of the current fiscal year. Since embarking on the program early this year, Flintkote has acquired Insulrock Corp., manufacturers of fireproof acoustical and insulating building material, and announced plans for construction of a second building materials plant near Chicago, another in Ennis, Tex., and a gypsum manufacturing plant in Sweetwater, Tex.

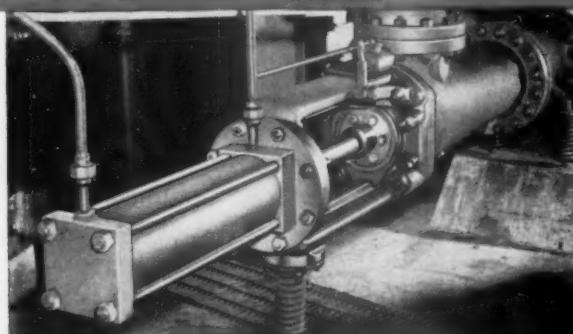
**CUBA FINANCES MILL . . .** A visitor in Cuba writes that industrialists there are very interested in the possibilities of making paper because of the amounts of bagasse available and also because the government is financing the construction of a pulp and paper mill to utilize this raw material. The Cubans believe that if the bagasse did not prove as favorable as was claimed, the mill could still be



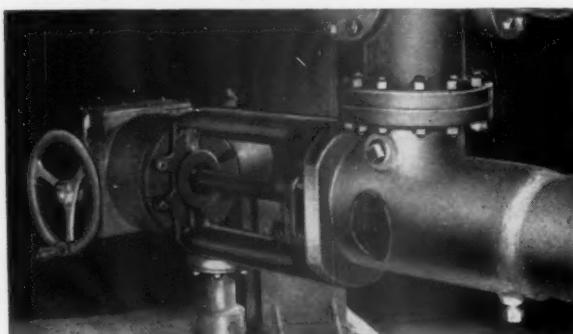
**AHEAD OF SCHEDULE . . .** Construction of Alberta's first pulp mill, being built at Hinton by North Western Pulp & Power, Ltd., is proceeding well ahead of schedule. The mill is expected to be in production shortly after Jan. 1, 1957. St. Regis Paper Co. owns half-interest and will manage its operation. The other half-interest is owned by North Canadian Oils, Ltd.



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**NEW NEKOOSA-EDWARDS MACHINE . . .** Contract signing officially closed the deal for a new paper machine for Nekoosa-Edwards Paper Co. by Beloit Iron Works. The event took place at the summer home of John E. Alexander, president and general manager of the paper firm. E. H. Neese, board chairman, H. C. Moore, president, and C. E. Macklem, vice president, Beloit Iron Works; and C. H. Reese, Nekoosa-Edwards manufacturing vice president participated. The new machine is scheduled for completion late in 1958.

**THIRD MACHINE AT BECKETT PAPER CO. . .** Beckett Paper Co., Hamilton, O., has placed a third paper machine into operation. Part new, part reconditioned, the 143-in. (wire width) Fourdrinier is rated to produce 75 tons per day of high grade lithographic papers. It will reach 800 fpm and will produce weights ranging between 40 and 150 lbs., 25x38-500. It includes a new Valley Inlet headbox; 39 four ft. diameter dryers, including seven felt dryers in the first dryer section; standard size press and tub; 10 four ft. diameter dryers in the second dryer section and one calender stack.

The machine's stock preparation system consists of a 14-ft. Shartle Hydrapulper, a Jones-Bertram beater with three stainless steel bed plates and two Shartle Jordans. The tertiary cleaning system consists of a combination of Nichols Freeman Vortraps and Bauer Centri-Cleaners. The machine is equipped with an Industrial Nucleonics Accu-Ray basis weight control gauge. Installation of automatic pH control equipment is planned.

**PACIFIC-POLLOCK MERGER . . .** Pacific Waxed Paper Co., Seattle, has become a wholly-owned subsidiary of Pollock Paper Corp., Dallas, Tex., a St. Regis subsidiary, resulting in the first organization to offer nationwide manufacturing and sales facilities for waxed frozen food and bakery overwraps, announces Allen B. Engle, president of Pacific Waxed Paper Co. The move is the result of a "transfer" of properties within the giant St. Regis Paper Co., parent organization of the two firms.

A reader kindly pointed out we confused Pacific Waxed Paper Co. and Western Waxed Paper Co. both operated a long time in the Pacific Northwest, in our WORLD REVIEW NUM-

BER. Actually St. Regis purchased the \$5,000,000 Pacific Waxed Paper Co., of Seattle, and there is no longer a Western Waxed Paper Co. It is now merged into Western-Waxide Specialty Packaging Division of C.Z.

**NEW SEATTLE CONVERTING PLANT . . .** A new quarter-million-dollar paper converting plant is being built in Seattle by Sherman Paper Products Corp. Sherman's home office and plant are in Los Angeles; there is one branch plant in San Francisco.

**CARTON PLANT NEAR SEATTLE . . .** A contract has been awarded and construction begun by Container Corp. of America, Chicago, on a folding carton plant at Renton, Wash., south of Seattle. Announcement that work is under way came from J. G. Robinson, chairman of California Container Corp., wholly owned subsidiary of the Chicago company. He said completion is expected early in 1957.

About 150 persons will be employed. Most of them work in the company's combined folding carton and corrugated container plant in Seattle. Transfer of folding carton production to the new plant will permit expansion of corrugated shipping container operations at the present location.

**UNION BAG-CAMP ACQUIRES CREOSOTING FIRM . . .** Union Bag-Camp Paper Corp. has purchased assets of American Creosoting Co. of Louisville, Ky., at an unannounced price reportedly more than \$6 million. American Creosoting owns 38,000 acres of forest lands in Camden County, Ga. Union Bag takes over this land as well as the treating plant at Brunswick, Ga., which employs about 50 persons. The Brunswick plant, called the Georgia Creosoting Co., is an American subsidiary.

**DIERKS LOSES SAWMILL, WORK CONTINUES ON PAPER MILL . . .** The sawmill section of the Dierks Forests, Inc., lumber manufacturing plant at Wright City, Okla., has been destroyed by fire which swept through the mill causing an estimated half-million dollar loss. Other departments of the big mill were protected by fire-fighters. The mill, according to reports, will be rebuilt. Plans for the new \$10 million kraft mill at Pine Bluff, Ark., meanwhile, are well underway. Designed by Rust Engineering Co., the structural steel is already under construction on the 150-

ton-a-day mill. Production is expected to start by November 1957. A 166-in. Bagley & Sewall Fourdrinier with suction couch has been ordered for the mill. Facilities on the 1480-acre mill site will include five buildings.

**NEW MISSISSIPPI MILL . . .** Plans are definite now for a \$30 million kraft pulp and paper mill near Columbus, Miss., to be operated by a company called the Mississippi Pulp & Paper Co. Production capacity of the new mill, which will be located in the northeastern part of the state, will be 500 tons a day. Tentative plans for the treatment and disposal plant have been okayed by the Mississippi Game and Fish Commission and the mill is expected to be in operation by early 1959. A large timber spread has been optioned by the company, which expects to use about 300,000 cords of wood a year.

**MILL FOR MANITOBA . . .** Negotiations are under way for construction of a pulp and paper mill in the Nelson River basin near Oak Lake operations of International Nickel Co. in Manitoba, according to Provincial Premier D. L. Campbell.

**MORE MILLS IN ALBERTA? . . .** Four or five more pulp mills may soon be under construction in Alberta, A. R. Patrick, economic affairs minister of the province, told a meeting of agricultural experts in Lethbridge recently.

Mr. Patrick said that Alberta was particularly anxious to develop industries other than those dependent on farming, such as the Hinton mill being built by St. Regis Paper Co. and West Canadian Oils.

**ANOTHER NSSC PLANT . . .** Chas. T. Main Co., Boston, is engineering a new 70-ton neutral sulfite semi-chemical pulping mill for Finch, Pruyn & Co., Inc., at Glens Falls, N.Y.

**SHORT SQUIBS FROM THE SOUTH . . .** North Carolina Pulp Co. at Plymouth, N. C., has acquired the capital stock of Eureka Lumber Co. of Washington, N. C., at an undisclosed price. . . . Crown Zellerbach will build a \$4 million multiwall bag plant at Bogalusa, La. Construction begins in Dec.; startup is set for next fall. . . . West Virginia Pulp and Paper Co. has completed installation of a \$475,000 rotary kiln for its Covington, Va., mill, said to be the largest of its kind in the U. S. . . . Work on the piping of the new Container Corp. of America mill at Brewton, Ala., has begun. Grinnell Co. is presently installing underground piping system.



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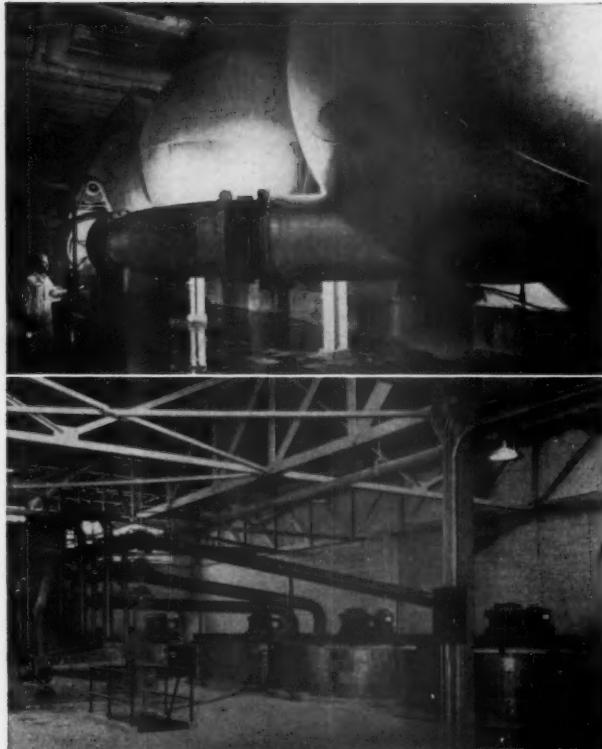
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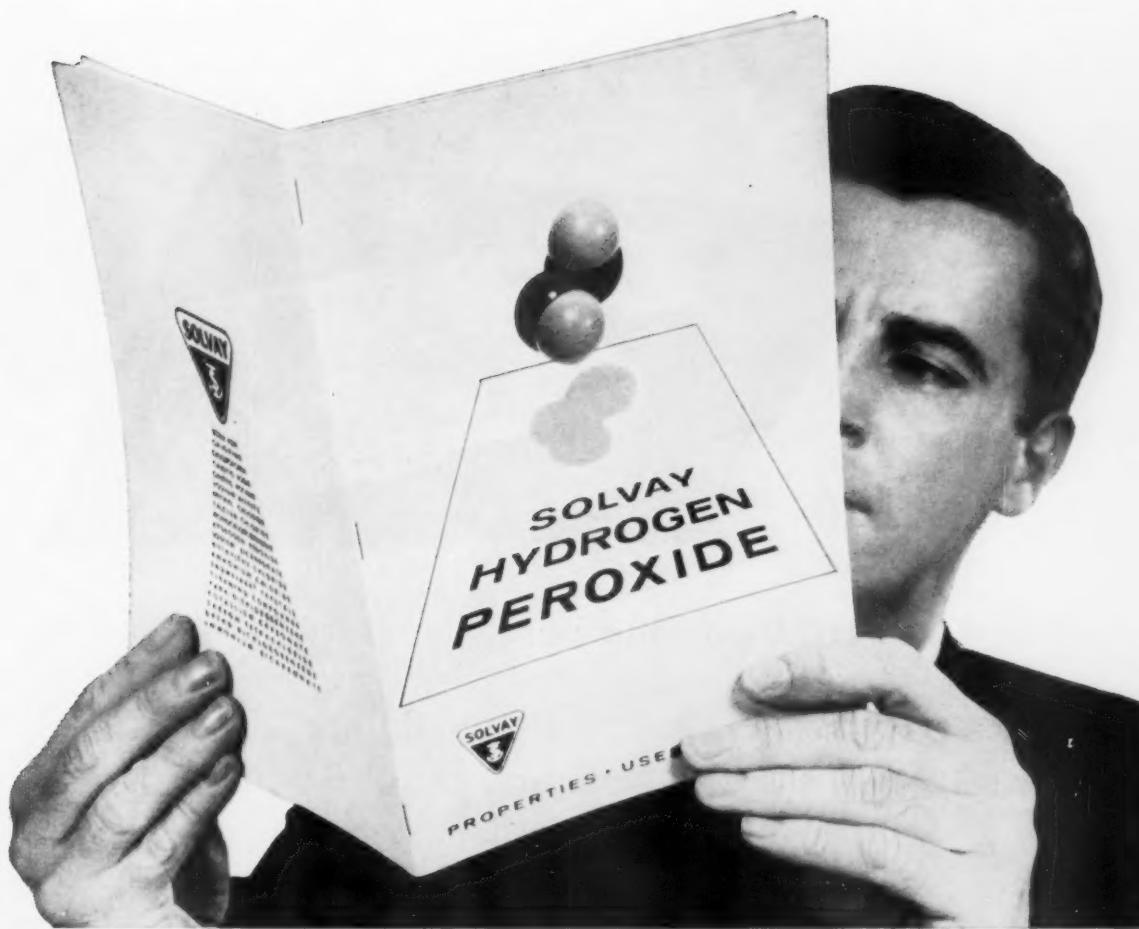


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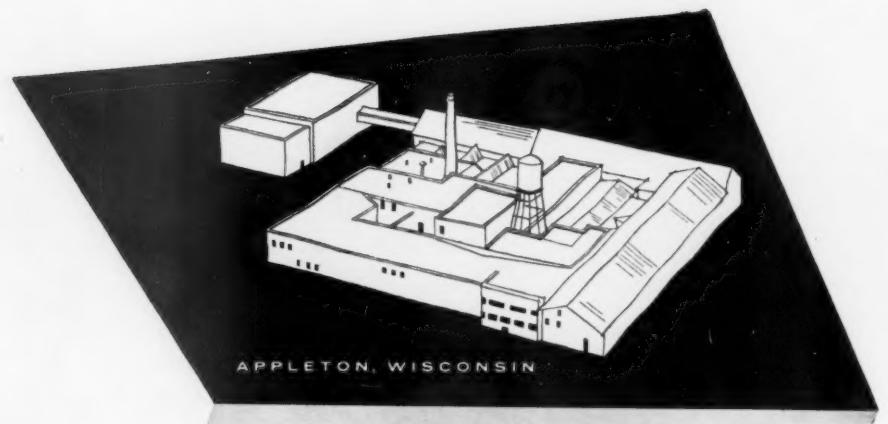
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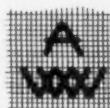
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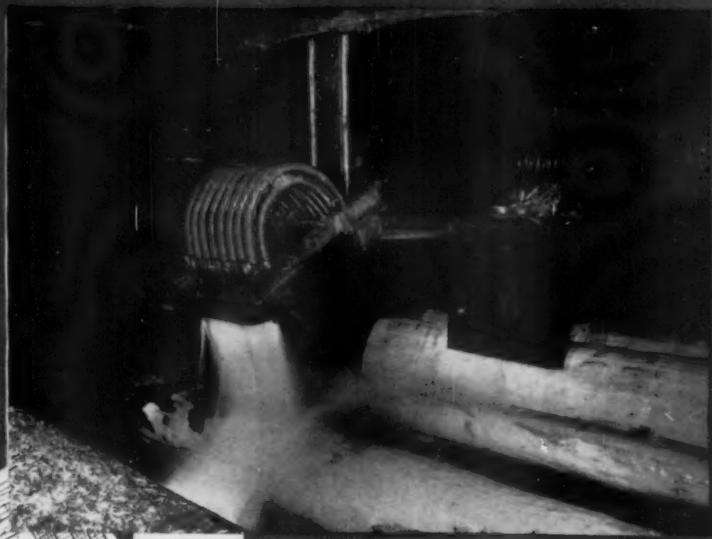


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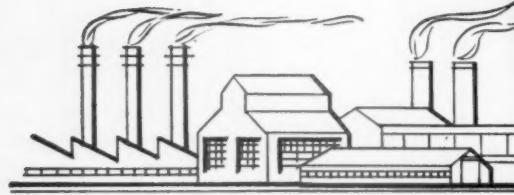
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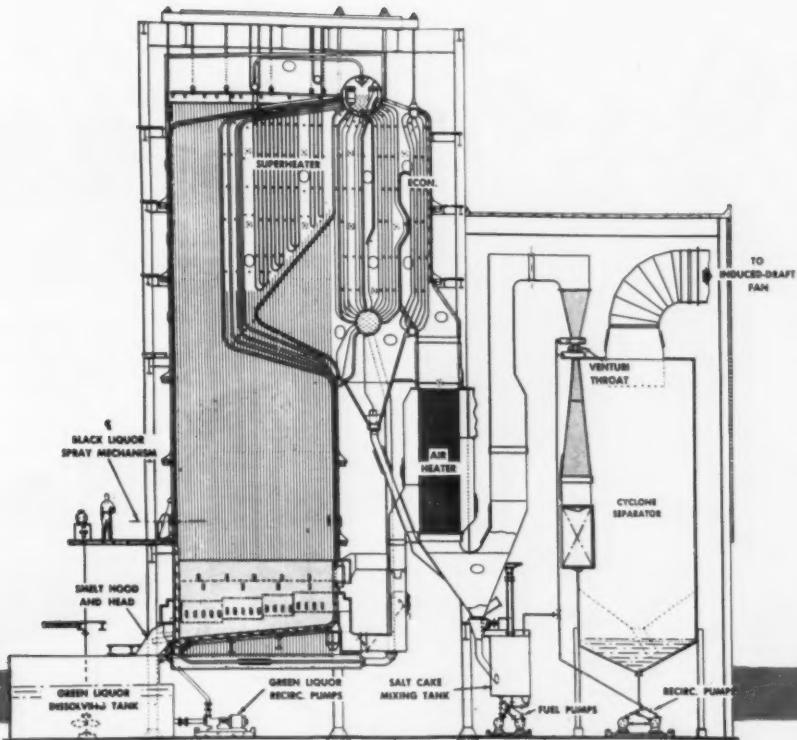
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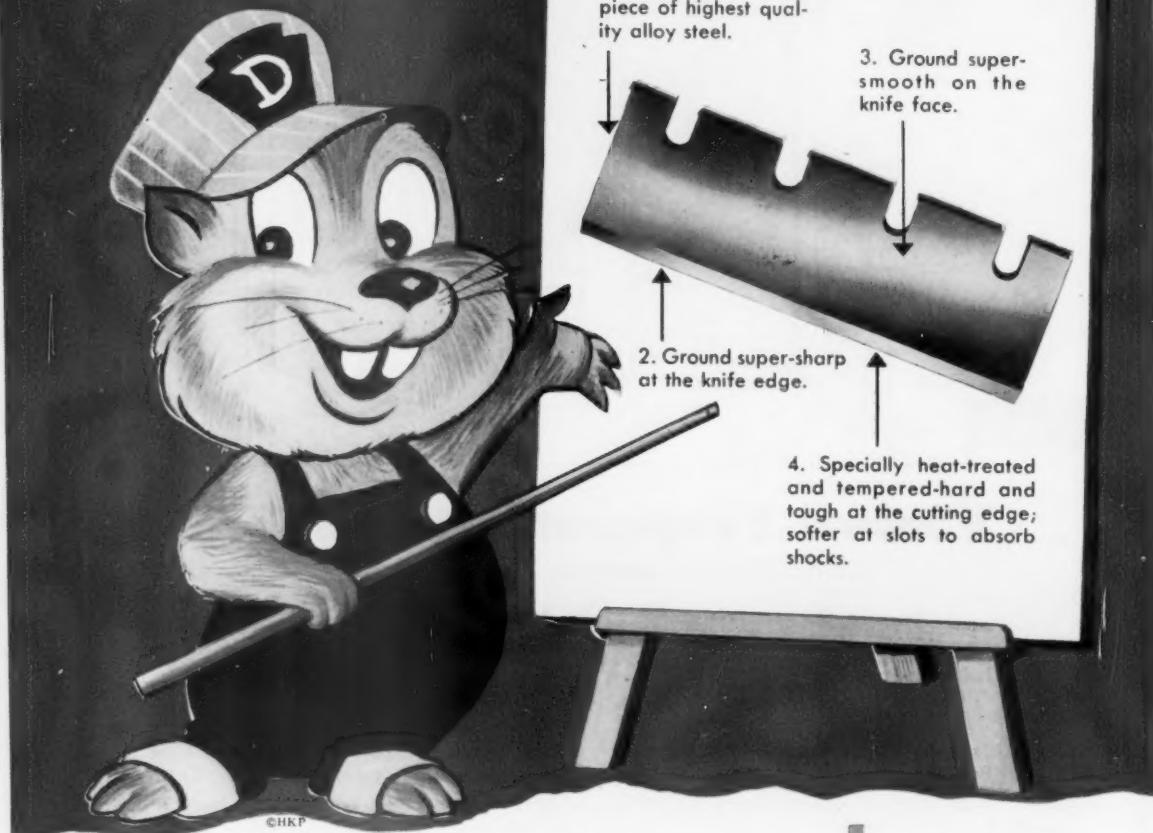
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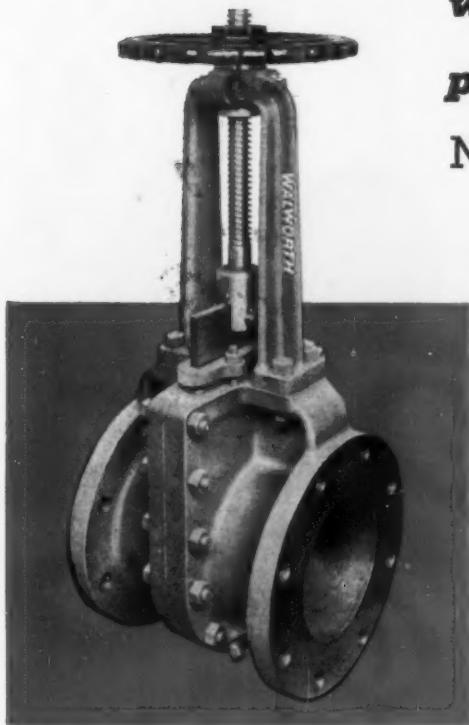
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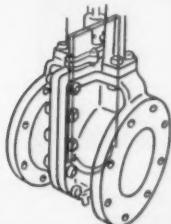


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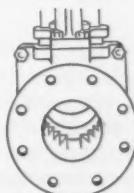
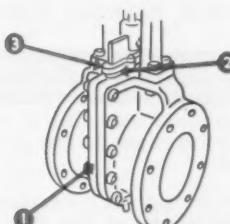
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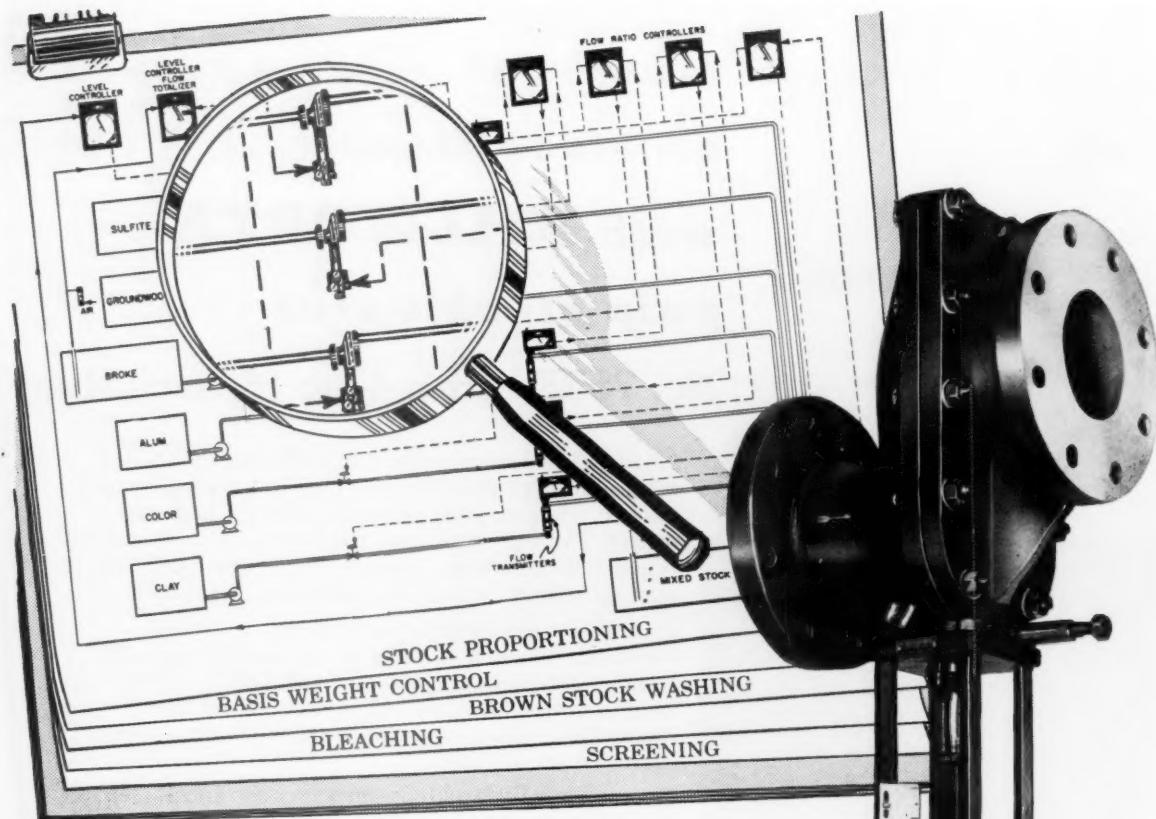
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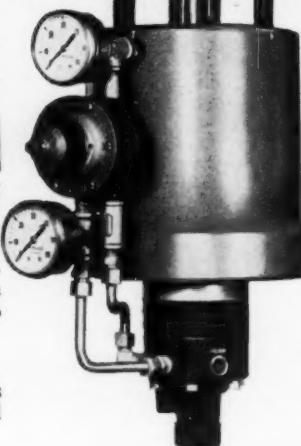
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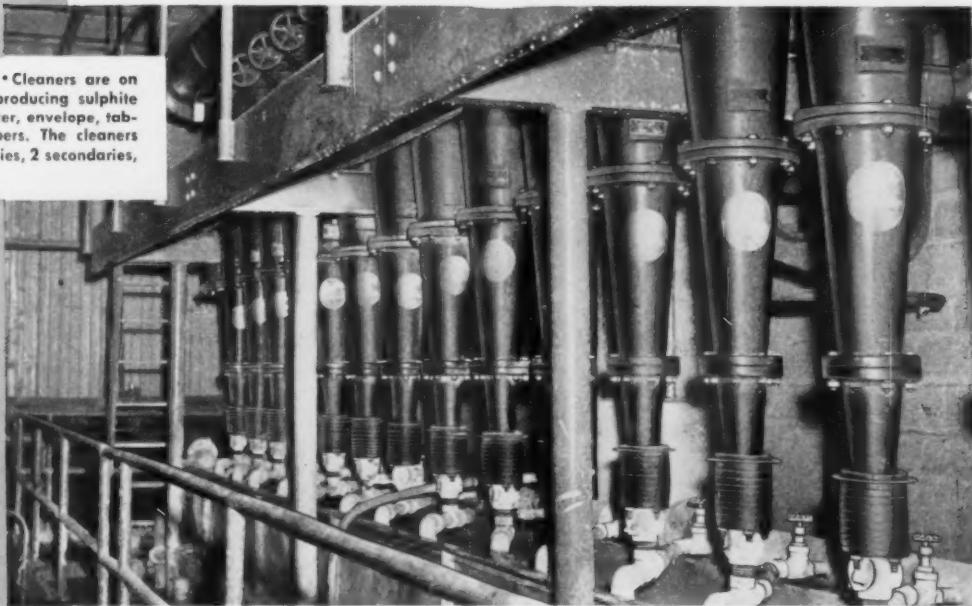
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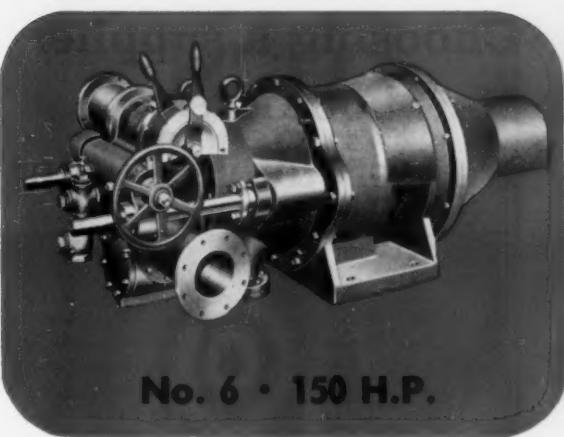
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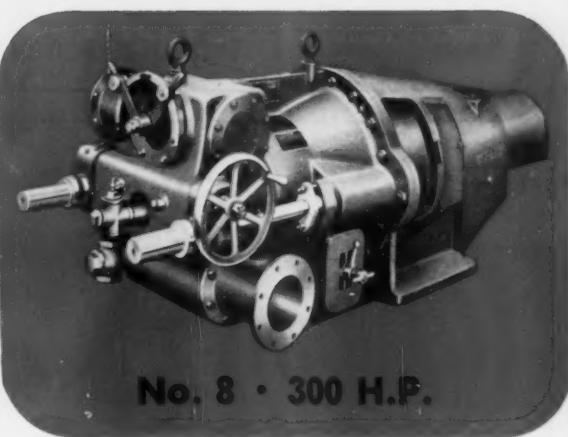
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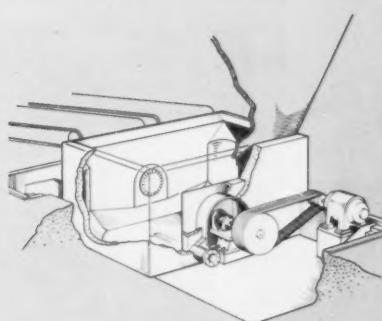
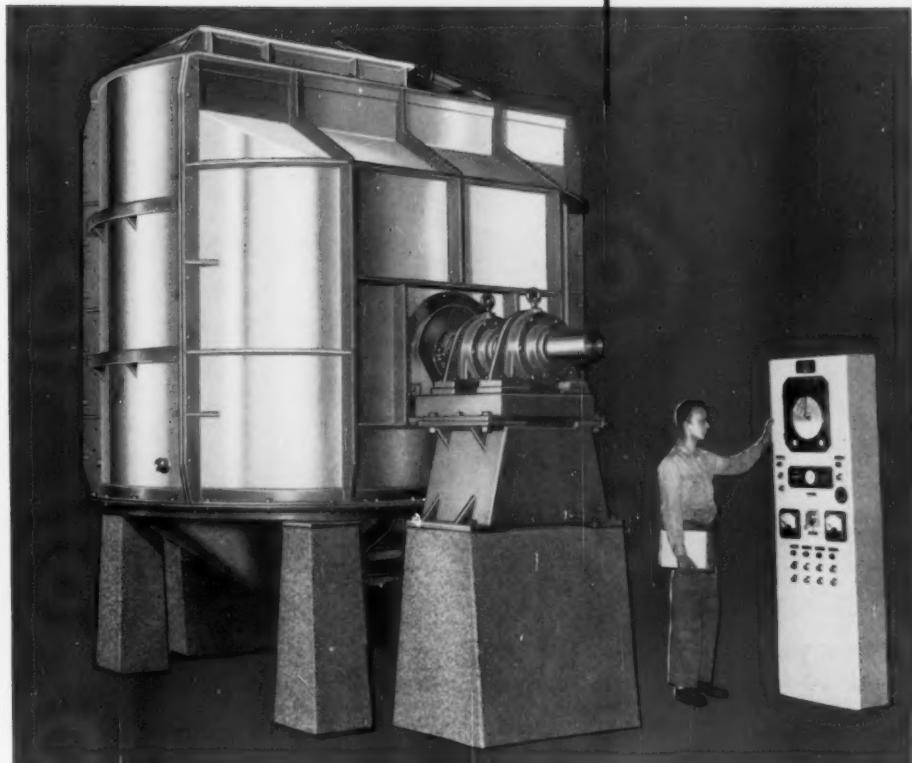
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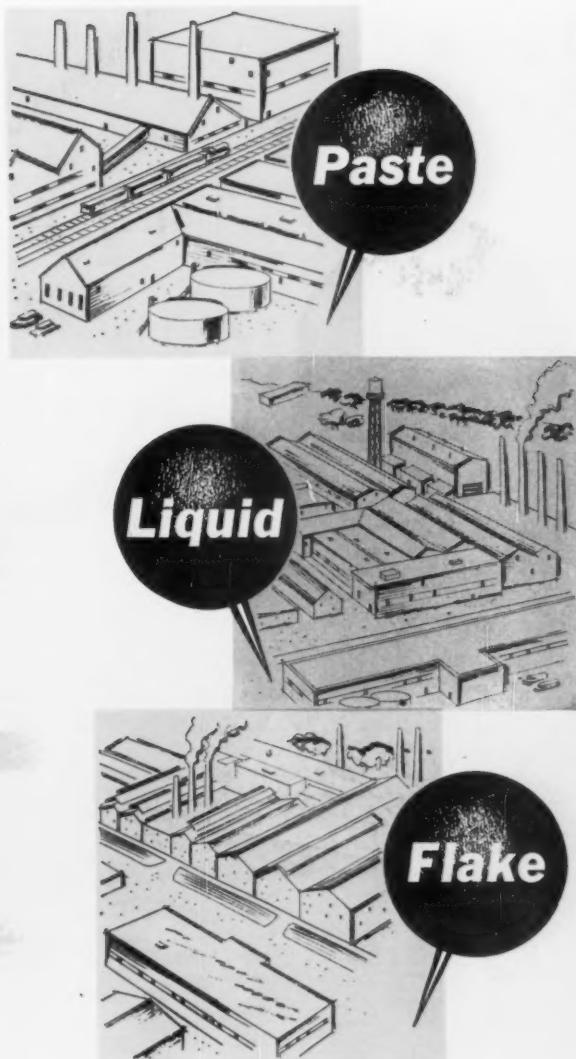
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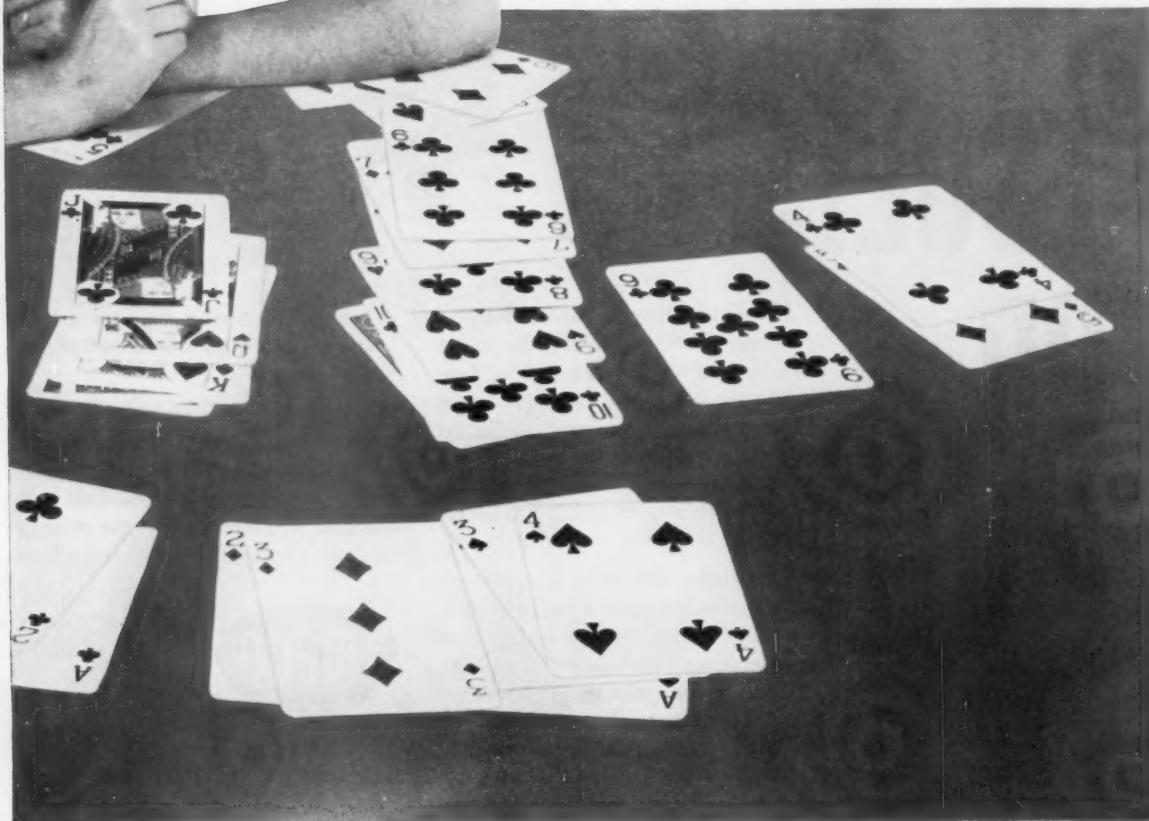


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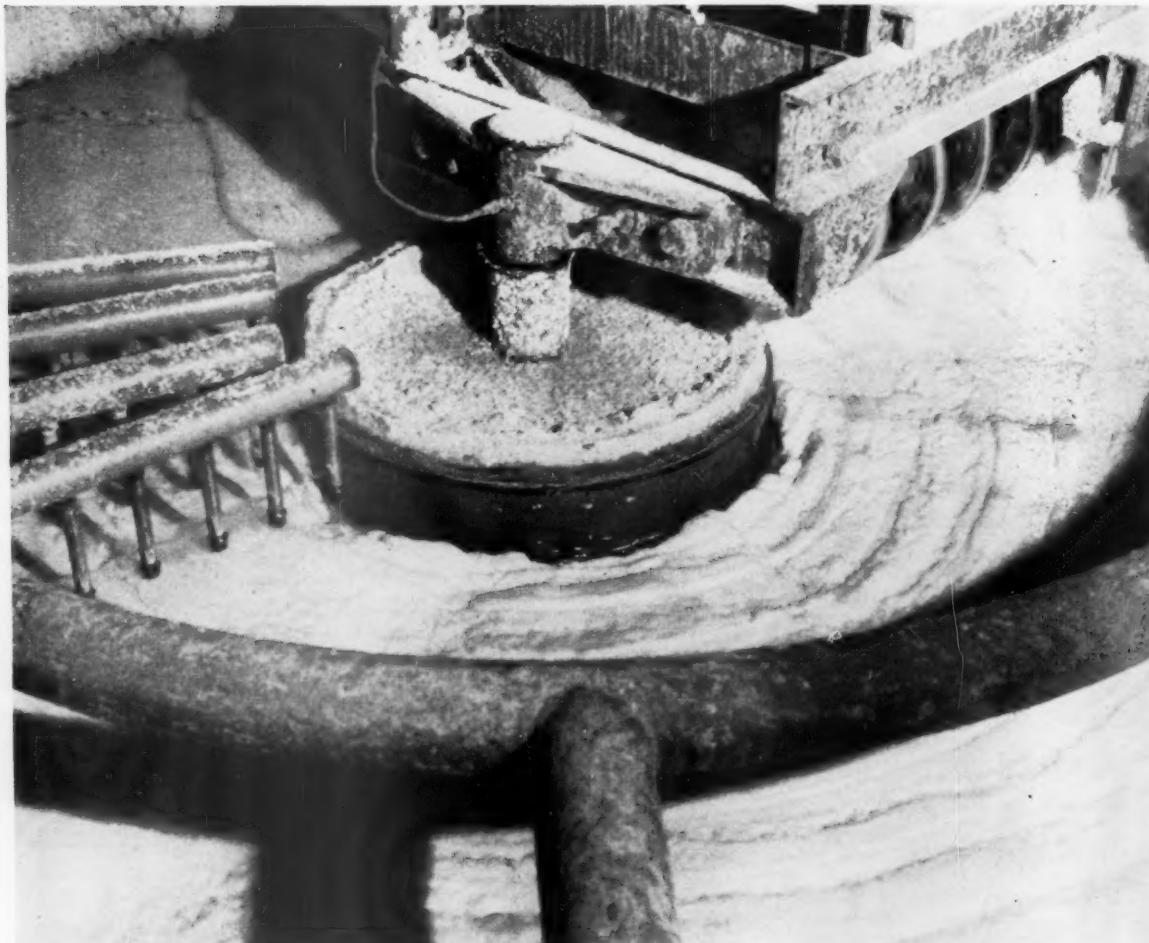
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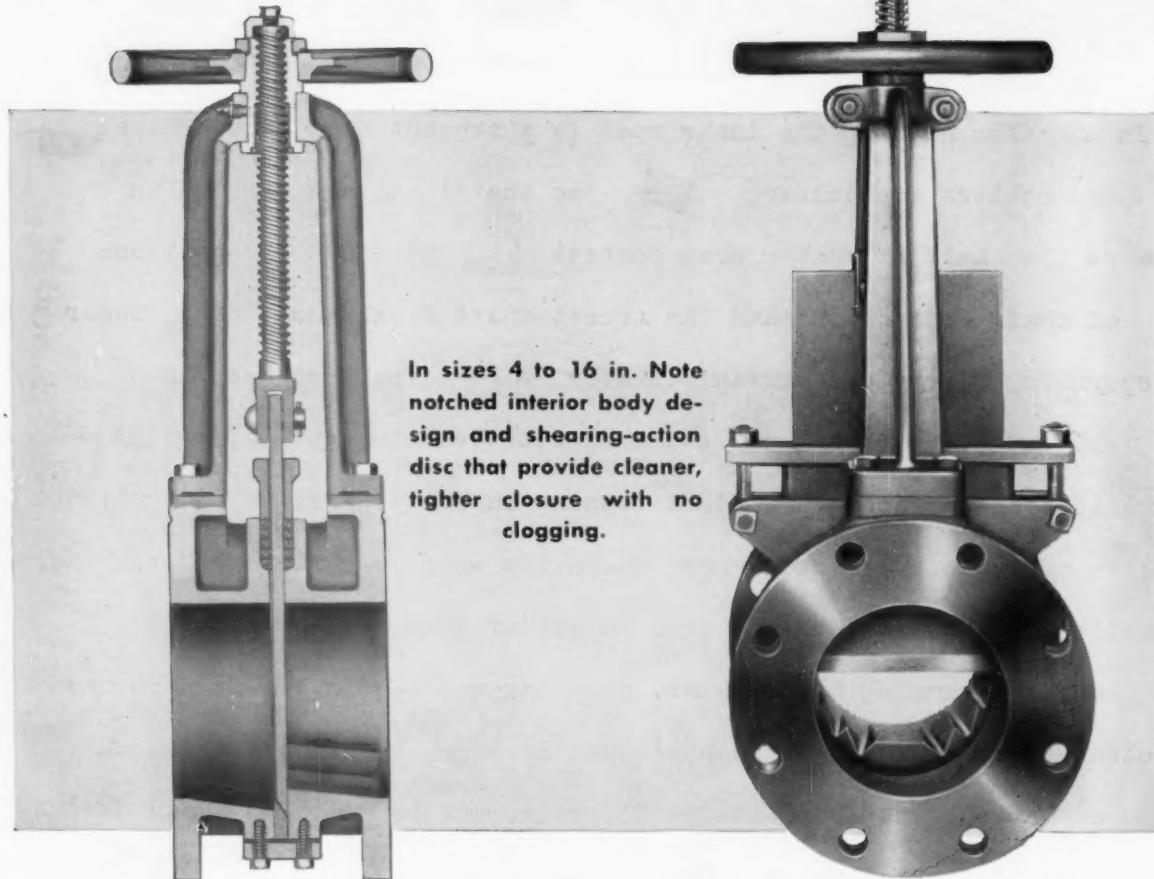
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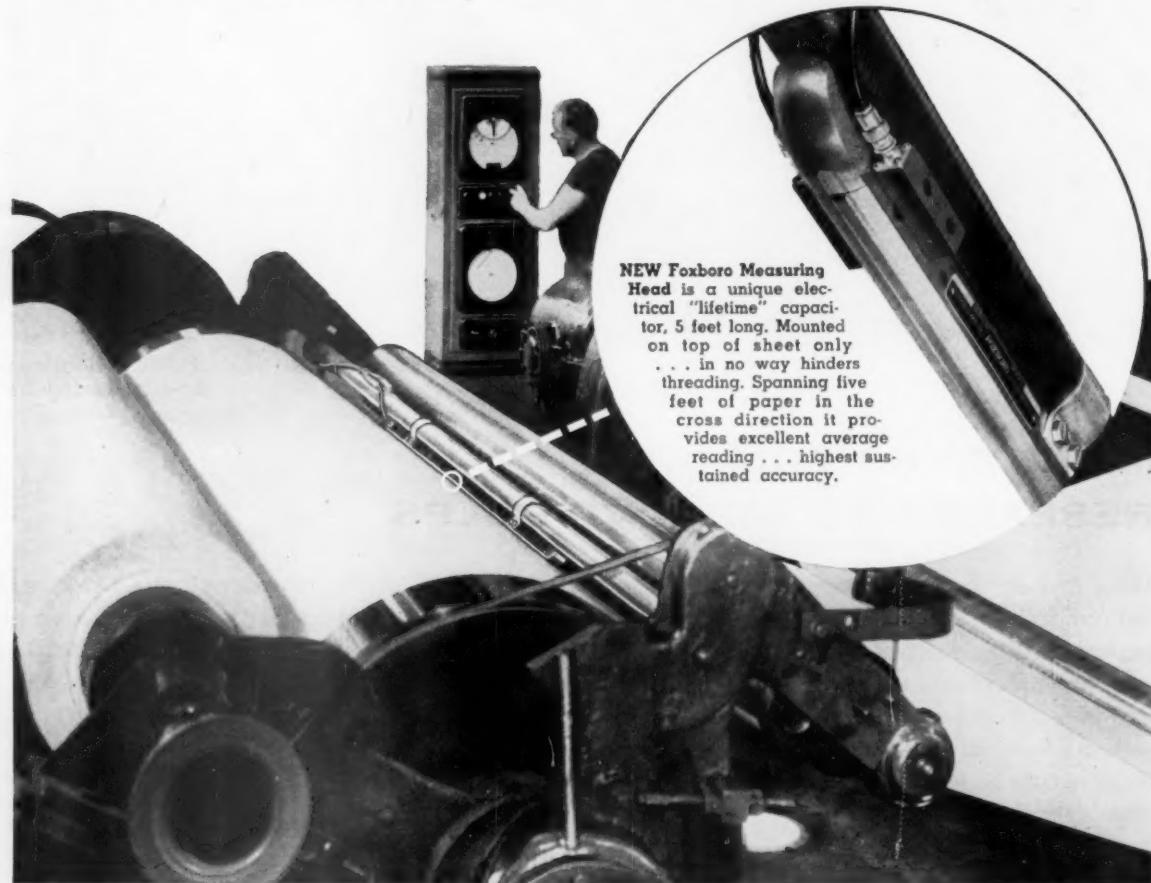
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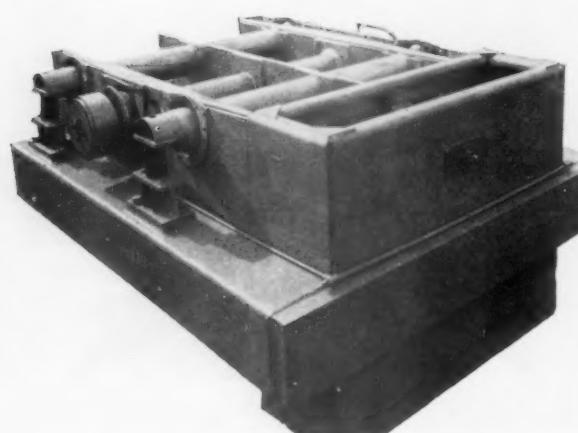
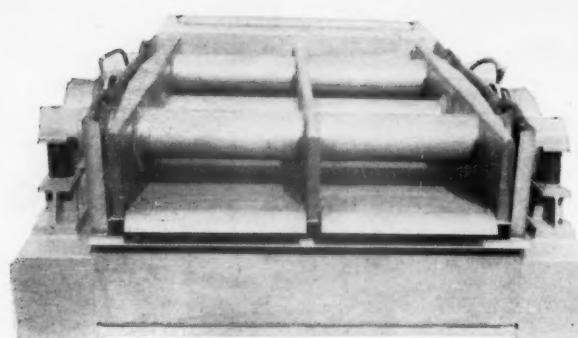
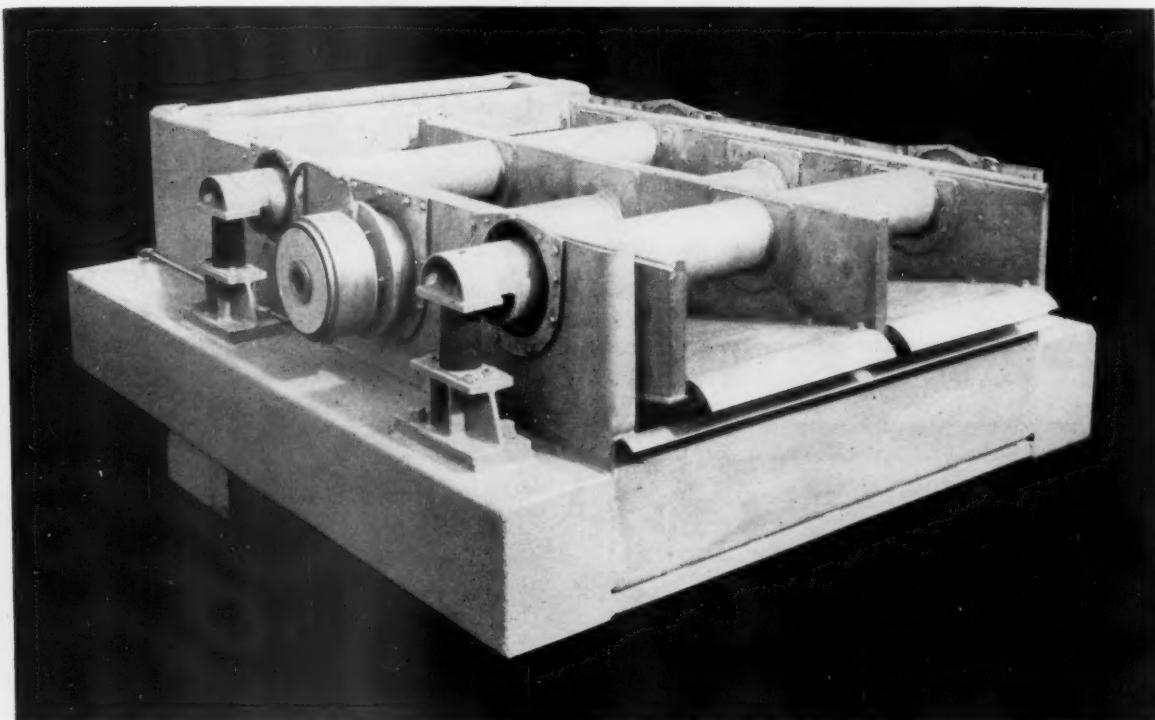
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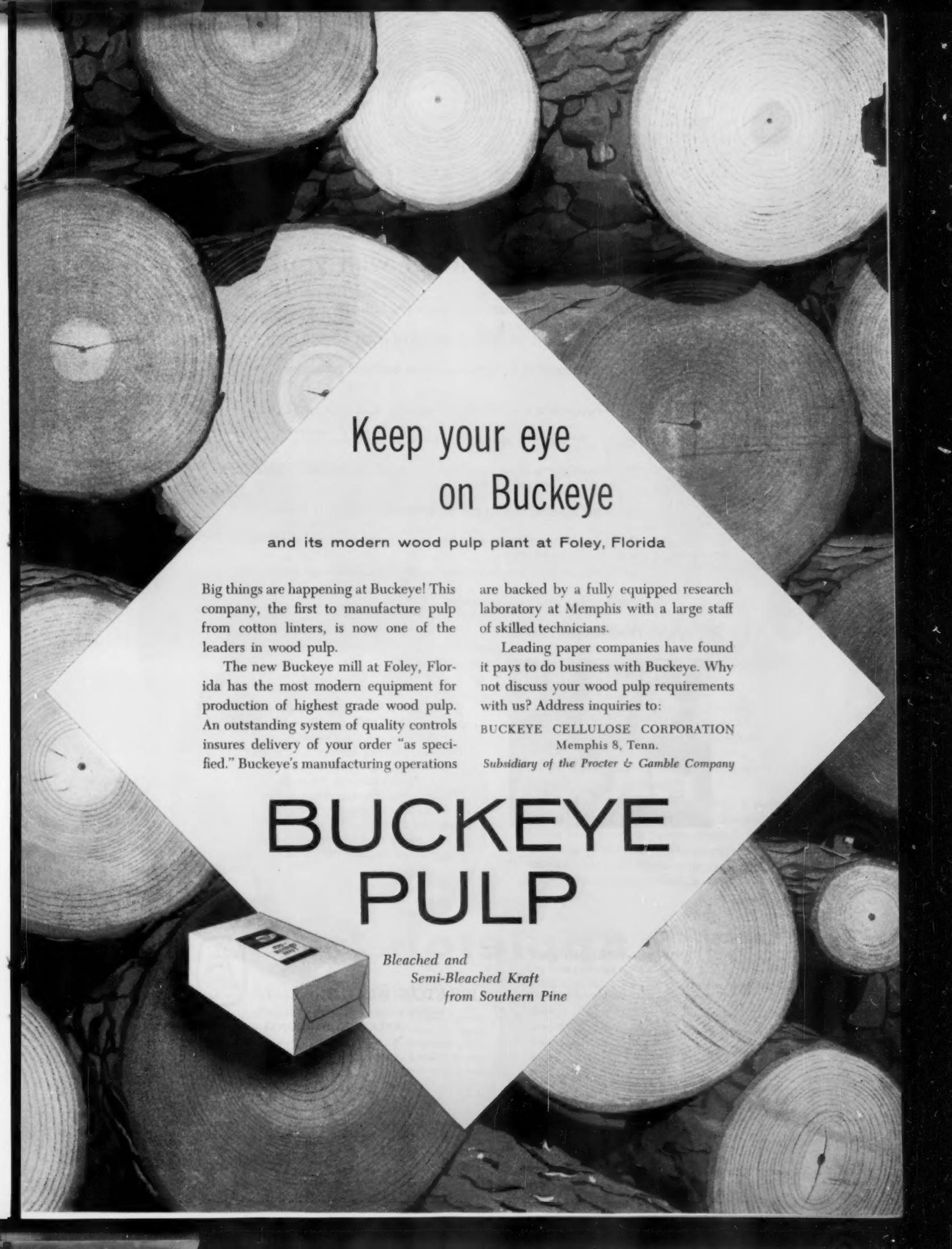
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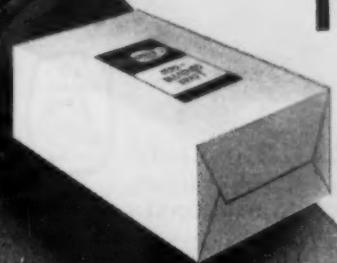
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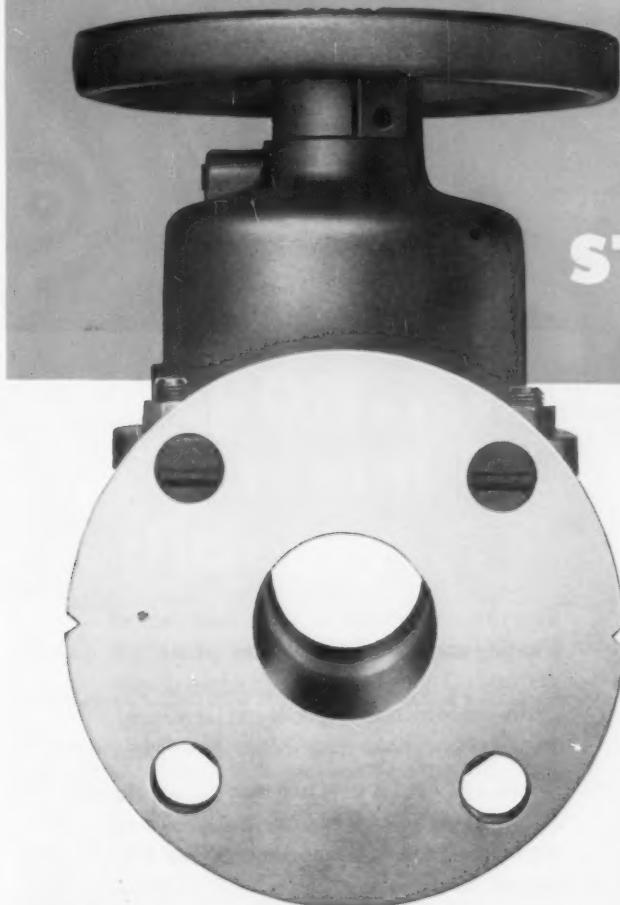


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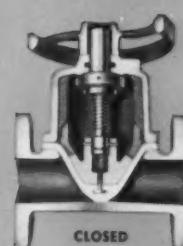
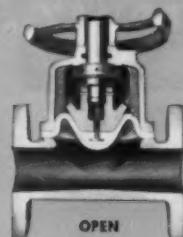
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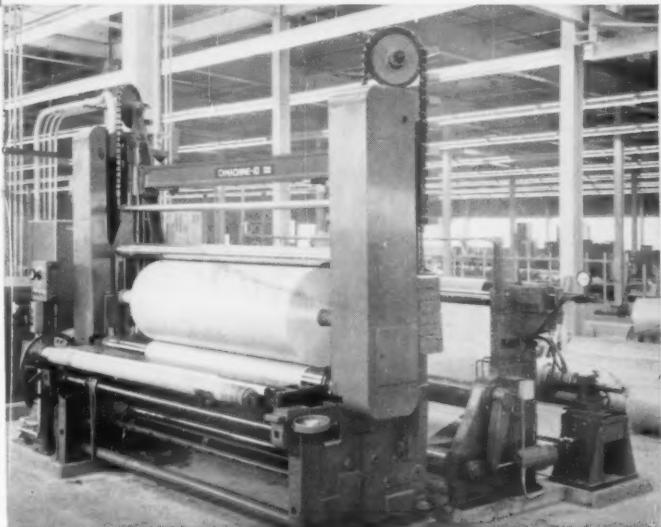
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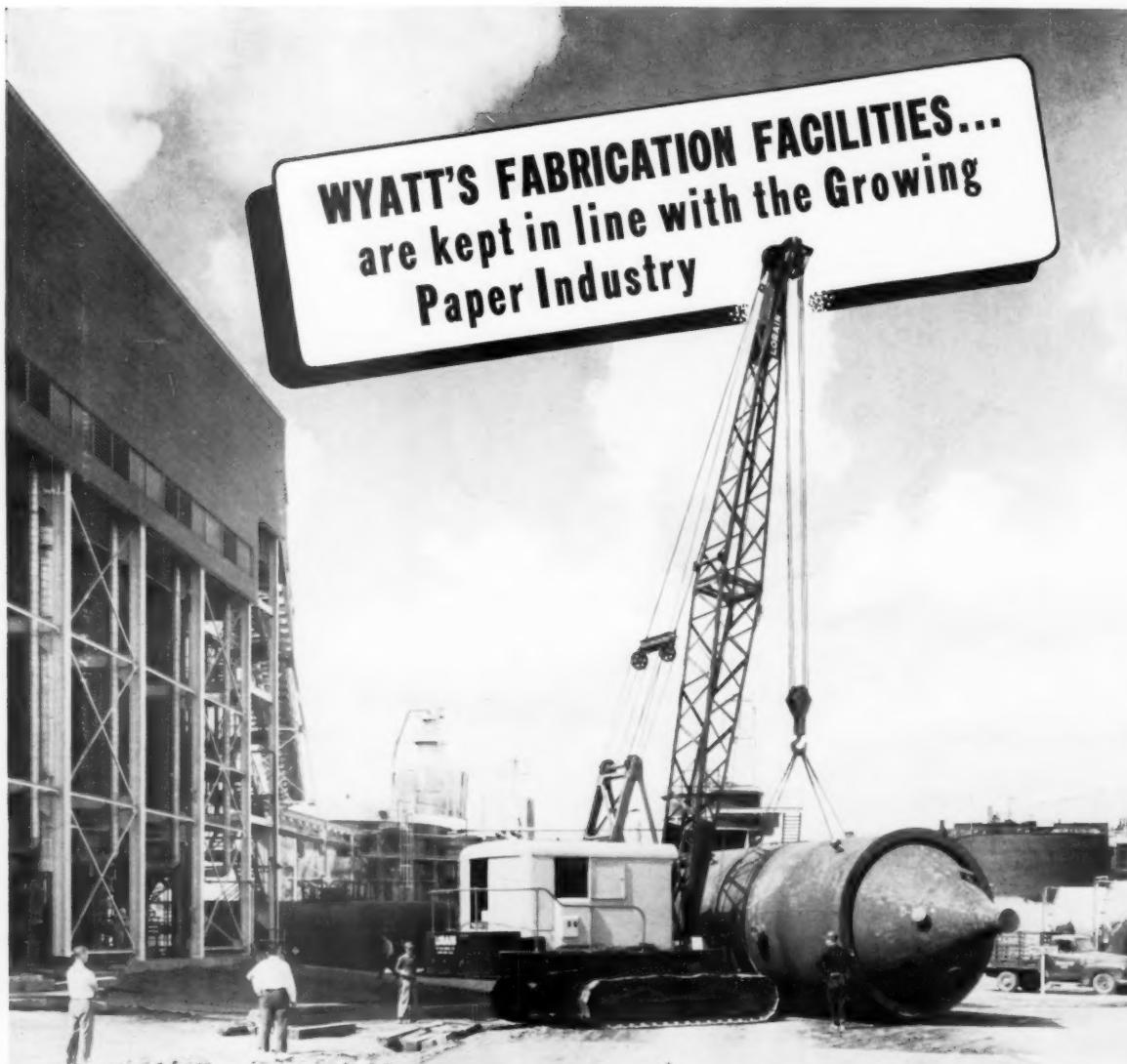


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With kindest personal regards.

Yours very truly,

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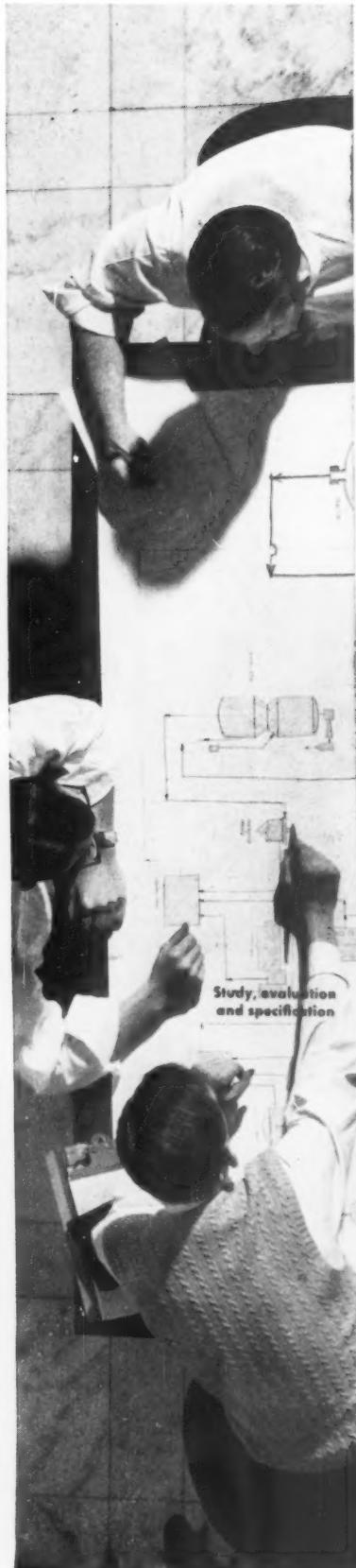
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Equipment installation and check-out



Field maintenance



Overall project coordination



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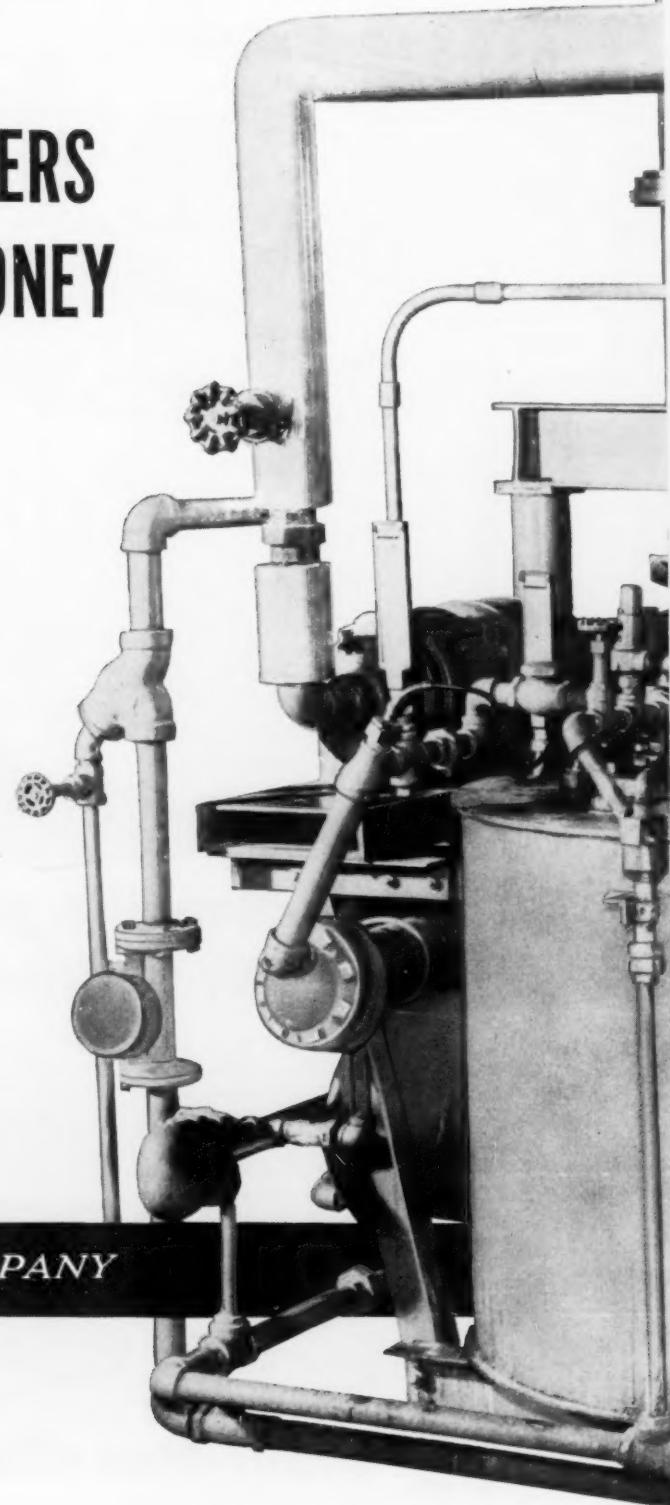
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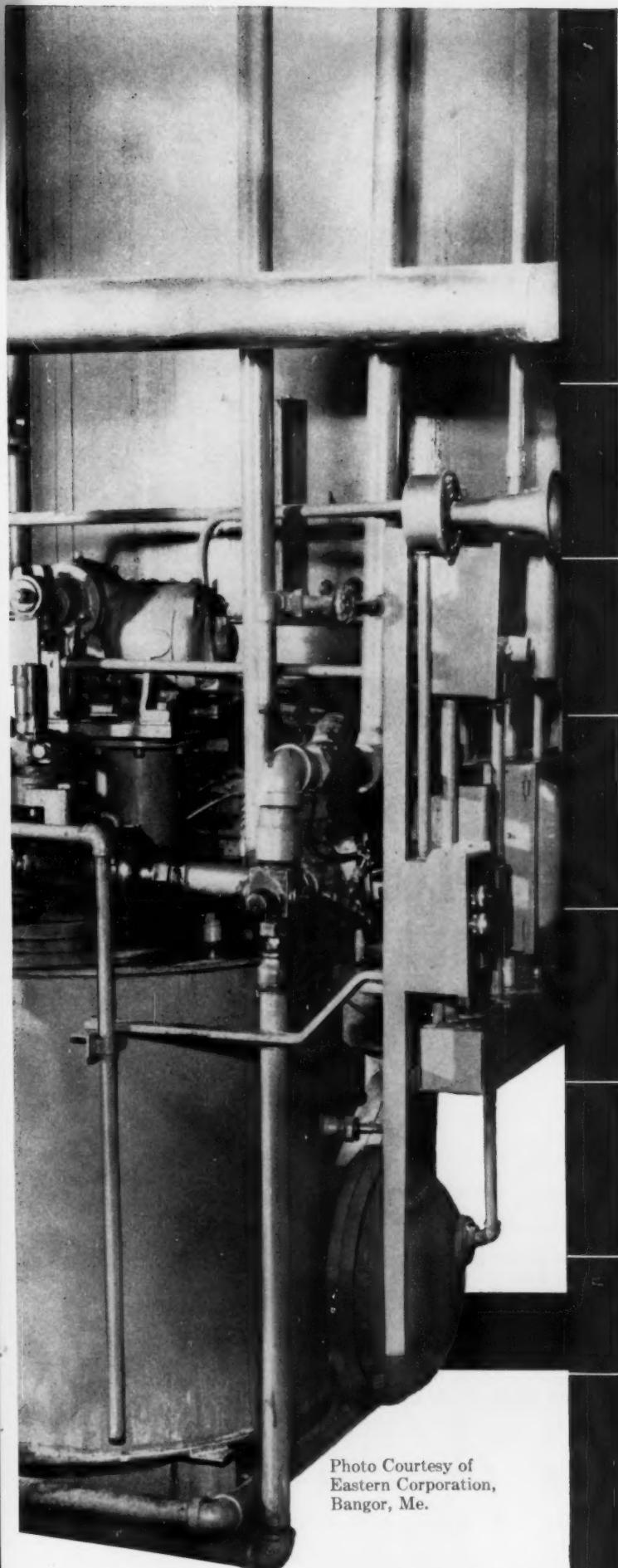


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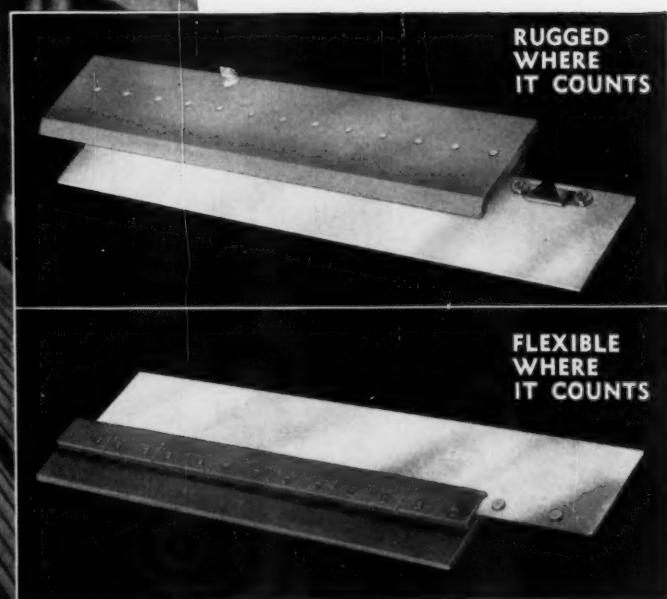
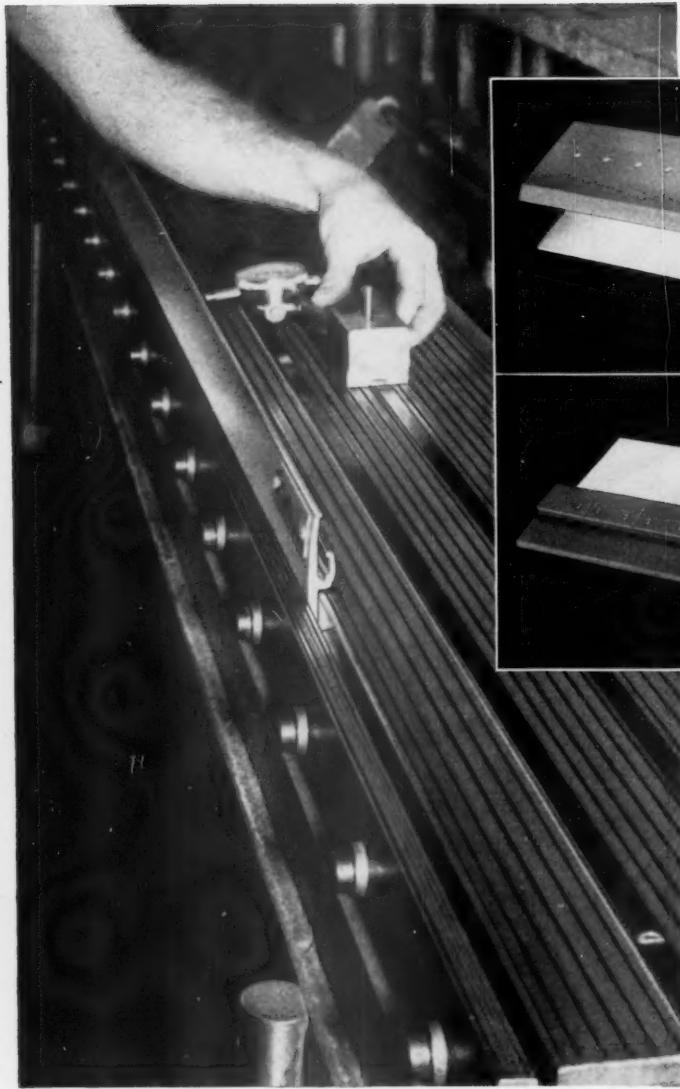
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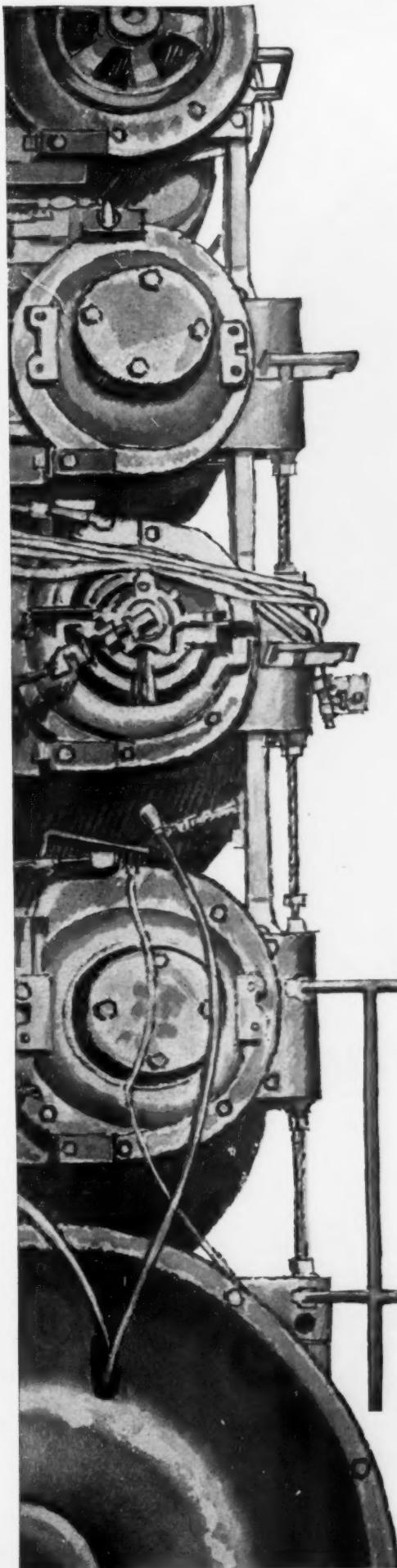
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SPECIAL PULP AND PAPER FIELD REPORT

## Montana Plans for First Pulp Mill

**Sawmillers and Anaconda Copper are figuring on making chips for mill at Missoula . . . other "Treasure State" news**

**Big Timber, Mont.**

From a traveling PULP & PAPER editor's notebook: Big Timber is a misnomer. This is still the Great Plains but the forests are just an hour's drive west of here, from the northwest Gallatin Gateway to Yellowstone Park, up and around Bozeman, and up and around White Sulphur Springs, where John Ringling has a ranch.

When a traveler from the East approaches this sun-dazzled cowboy town on the Northern Pacific or U.S. Highway 10, he has his first view of mountains—the first range is the Crazies. The mountains rise higher and higher as he moves west, mostly lodgepole pine around here and then Douglas fir, larch and spruce.

Up around Missoula, there is great excitement as several lumber companies are making definite plans to supply chips to the first pulp mill in Montana. They will certainly be very surprised or shocked if the plans go awry. But Waldorf Paper Products Co., St. Paul, Minn., one of the nation's leading paperboard manufacturers, and the company they are negotiating with, is officially keeping mum. It is not ready to make any official announcement.

**EIGHT SAWMILLS LINING UP**

. . . Eight or more sawmills in and around Missoula are expecting to supply chips. Several were contacted by PULP & PAPER. The modern pattern of tying in sawmill chip supply with pulp mills has taken a strong hold out here in the West—some 200 sawmills on the Pacific Coast now are making chips for pulp mills. Down South the trend is spreading fast. About ten or so sawmills are supplying the expanded Potlatch Forests pulp and paper mills in Lewiston, Idaho.

So, it is not surprising the new idea caught on here in Montana. For many years U.S. Forest Service officials in Missoula have been trying to interest pulp and paper companies in utilizing

the FS timber, including much of which is dying from insect infestation. They never quite were able to latch onto a deal. The FS officials who talked to PULP & PAPER in Missoula seemed a little bit disappointed in the new turn of events.

"All the contacts with Waldorf have been by lumber mills," they said. However, they are glad to see better utilization, and after all much of the sawmill material came originally from USFS forests. They actually surround Missoula on all sides. Lolo, Helena, St. Joe, Clearwater, Cabinet, Flathead, Bitter Root and Deer Lodge are the names of eight national forests which are all around Missoula, home of Montana State University and also of major railroad shops of the Northern Pacific Railroad. NP runs direct to St. Paul—where Waldorf has its 720 tons a day paperboard mill (as well as a smaller semi-chemical pulp mill).

**MOST CHIPS WOULD BE FIR** . . . Missoula lumbermen told PULP & PAPER that the likeliest site for a pulp mill is ten miles west of Missoula in Frenchtown Valley. Most sawmill chips available would be Douglas fir, a tough desirable fiber for board. Next would be better pine grades, then larch and spruce, but very little lodgepole pine in this Missoula area.

Missoula is crowded on all sides by half a dozen wandering mountain ranges that seem to center here. The Bitter Root main range is 30 miles west, and the Continental Divide—top of the Rockies—only 70 miles east.

None of the sawmills have ordered barkers or chippers but they are looking into such equipment. Mills 100 miles away or more could serve a pulp mill in Missoula.

Seven sawmills are already combined in a group which figures it can supply 50,000 to 60,000 chip units a year. That would be equal to 20,000,000 bd. ft. of logs cold-decked, and

would not mean cutting a single additional tree! It would be wood that has been going up in smoke in burners.

**ANACONDA COPPER INTEREST**

. . . Besides these seven mills, the great Anaconda Copper Co. is in the picture with its own Anaconda Lumber Mill at Bonner, 7 miles east of Missoula, and is figuring on being a major chip supplier. Anaconda Mining—in case you didn't know it—owns a lot of timber around Butte and westward, and for many years it has been paying salaries and making investment for research work in cellulose. It has long thought of getting into the pulp business.

Intermountain Lumber Co., Missoula, is one of the group with seven mills preparing to combine their efforts to serve up chips for pulp. It has three sawmills. One is at Missoula. Another is 63 miles straight south, at Darby. The third is another 75 miles further south across mountains in Idaho. It is also a partner in a Drummond, Mont., stud operation, which would also produce chips. The partner is Western Montana Lumber Co. The latter has a big sawmill in Missoula, also figured in for the chip business.

**OTHER ACTIVITIES** . . . Moving down the eastern slopes in Montana, PULP & PAPER found Corcoran Pulpwood Co., based in Bozeman, just 70 miles west of Big Timber, is rounding out ten successive and successful years of producing lodgepole pine pulpwood for three pulp mills in Wisconsin. But that's another Montana story to be told in a later issue of PULP & PAPER.

By the way, Forest Service, state and private owners have done a good job this year of spraying some 885,000 acres in Montana and Northern Idaho infested by spruce budworm. But you can't get at the beetles, which also are destroying great forests in this area, from an airplane.



SAMPLE NEWSPAPER CLIPPINGS show good public relations fruit of Wisconsin pulp and paper industry program to help keep state "Safe-Clean-Beautiful."

#### A PULP & PAPER SPECIAL FIELD REPORT:

## How Wisconsin Mills Gain Good Will

Keep state "Safe-Clean-Beautiful" campaign brings much prestige to 34 organized companies in the eyes of public

• "We like to see that people are using Wisconsin paper products, but we're not happy about the way people dispose of those products once they've served their purpose." That's spelling it out. Action is in the battle cry: "Keep Wisconsin Safe-Clean-Beautiful." This is the backbone of an unusual public action program now in full swing in the state of Wisconsin. Its sponsor is the Wisconsin pulp and paper industry.

An industry committee was hard at work on the idea over four months before the program "kickoff" earlier this year. Information Service, Wisconsin Paper Industry (the state paper community relations organization of 17 companies) is doing the actual coordinating; and the I.S.W.P.I. office in Neenah has become for a while the "S.C.B. headquarters."

The industry, through three months of effort among its own primary manufacturers, converters and merchants, brought the S.C.B. pledge of cooperation to 35,000 Wisconsin paper people and their 120,000 dependents.

This was the pebble in the still pool.

Using the industry-originated S.C.B. program materials, school, youth and civic organizations are now carrying the "Keep Wisconsin Safe-Clean-Beautiful" request to thousands of others. The goal seemed in reach to make every one of Wisconsin's three and a half million residents aware of the need for such a "battle cry." Every year that state population is about doubled by the influx of vacationers.

**HOW DRIVE WAS LAUNCHED . . .** The pulp and paper industry program began with the solicitation of signed pledges of cooperation from all Wisconsin paper people. These, addressed to the company or industry S.C.B. committee, read: "Gentlemen, I join you in a pledge to Keep Wisconsin Safe-Clean-Beautiful." As a receipt for a signed pledge, the employee receives a reflector yellow car sticker bearing the legend. Thirty-six thousand of these were distributed among mill people. One sees them on half the cars in papermaking areas.

To introduce the S.C.B. story, a 35 mm color slide presentation was developed and offered to management and supervisory groups in the mills. The same slide presentation, re-arranged in some instances to fit community, school and youth group audiences, has had about 50 showings—good mileage considering the fact that only the cost of three rolls of film and several hours of shooting time was involved in its preparation.

The pulp and paper companies made available S.C.B. posters for use by county highway departments, forestry groups and other interested organizations. Some companies prepared "travel trash" cans, bearing the legend, as gifts for use by local filling stations. Every promotional item carries the credit line: "A service of the Wisconsin Paper Industry."

When linking safety "on highways, in woods, on water" with the state litter problem, the industry points out that "all people share responsibility in the state's accidental death toll (923 in 1955); all people contribute to the

## Wisconsin Sets Pattern for All Industry

If you are interested in how 34 pulp and paper companies in the Badger state have greatly strengthened a favorable public attitude towards this industry, then you will want to read this story.

They are doing things in Wisconsin that might advantageously be carried out by companies and mills in other important pulp and paper states or regions.

Several years ago, PULP & PAPER brought to the industry the first news and first detailed stories describing how the Wisconsin industry decided to do something about making itself popular—"living right and getting credit for it."

PULP & PAPER ran a series of articles on the Wisconsin Workshops—the organization the industry created to "work up" all kinds of ideas for aggressive and intelligent community relations.

These articles in PULP & PAPER provided the fuel that built a fire which swept across this industry from coast to coast—from the Canadian line to the Gulf of Mexico.

The American Paper & Pulp Association adopted the Wisconsin Workshops idea and, in a very short time, the National Paperboard Association joined forces—one of the few activities in which they have teamed together. In every region where pulp and paper is made in the U.S.A., community relations committees were organized and joint mill programs were launched. The Wisconsin ideas described in PULP & PAPER, provided the pattern.

Nathan Bergstrom, president of Bergstrom Paper Co., and first chairman of the Wisconsin Workshops, became first chairman of the APPA's national community relations committee.

They are still working hard at "living right and getting credit for it" in Wisconsin. M. J. Schulenberg, director of public relations for Kimberly-Clark, is now chairman of the organization there, and top mill management, union organizations and individual employees were drawn into this latest campaign. This story tells how they did it and how they all benefited.

litter which is rapidly destroying the natural beauty of the state (cleanup cost: about \$26 a mile)." Promotion was put on a person to person basis, and program literature advises: "Tell yourself; tell your friends; tell your neighbors."

**INDUSTRY GAINS IN PRESTIGE**  
... That the Wisconsin pulp and paper industry is "getting credit" for helping do an excellent public service job, there can be no doubt. Each of the participating companies has kept a steady flow of news releases going to local and surrounding area newspapers and radio stations. Company newspaper ads appeared prior to major holidays up to Labor Day. TV promotion included spot "public service" commercials and occasional interviews on public service time. Newspaper editors have cooperated to an unusual degree with editorials praising the industry's public service. A definite result is that there is a new growing awareness of the paper industry's economic contributions. This, of course, was frankly one of the goals of the program.

Various companies made available designs for a "travel trash" bag carrier for automobiles. (An Information Service "invention," it requires only a wire coat hanger and two spring clothes-pins for materials.) The idea has had particular appeal among youth organizations; and several companies have arranged for distribution of the car trash bag holders at local filling stations.

One paper city school system developed a "Keep Wisconsin Safe-Clean-Beautiful" booklet. Illustrations were by fifth and sixth graders. Paper companies donated paper and printing. Distribution of the booklets



CAMPAIGN GETS OFF TO FLYING START IN GREEN BAY . . . Union-management leaders launch drive at Charmin Paper Mills, Inc. (l to r): ED NEVEU; H. G. WINTGENS, Executive Vice President of Charmin; LYNAS SKENANDORE and MYRON SCHROEDER. The three with Mr. Wintgens are union local presidents.



SIGNING THE FIRST PLEDGE . . . This ceremony was at Neenah Paper Co. (l to r): EMIL SCHMIDLI, JR., Chairman of Union Bargaining Committee; KURTH FOTH, Paper Makers Local President; and LEO SCHUBART, President of the paper company.



**CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE AT KIMBERLY-CLARK ATLAS MILL** in Appleton, Wis., is looking over a travel trash bag carrier (an "invention" of the industry's Information Service) and posters (l to r): AL S. PIERRE; RAY M. WARNER, President of Wallpaper Workers' Union; CLIFF WILLIAMS, Manager of Atlas Mill; MAURICE BARTA, Safety Committee Chairman, and JOHN MULLEN, Personnel Supervisor.



**DISCUSSION—FOLLOWING A CAMPAIGN SLIDE PRESENTATION . . .** This was just after a slide showing for all employees of Nekoosa-Edwards Paper Co. supervisors (l to r): TONY DANNO; JOHN McCUNE, Coordinator for Information Service, Wisconsin Paper Industry; DON PETERSON and STAN NESSA.



**MANAGEMENT AND LABOR COOPERATE . . .** Gilbert Paper Co. Menasha, Wis., entered the joint industry campaign with lots of fire. Here's the committee. Standing (l to r): ANDY BOEHNLEIN, T. C. CATLIN, Vice Pres. and Mill Mgr.; CLARENCE ELMGREN; T. M. (TED) GILBERT, Pres. and Gen. Mgr.; PATRICIA SANDERS; A. C. HASELOW, Treas. and Comptroller; ROMAN MARX; GEORGE CHAMPAIGNE and DOUGLAS JOAS. Front row (l to r): EDWARD QUICK, ERNIE WEST, GORDON STREBE and ORVALD KLAPPER.

followed a special series of S.C.B. assembly programs at the schools. A local television station arranged a 15-minute public service spot so that the school children could tell their "Keep Wisconsin" story to a large audience. Representatives of paper mills appeared on the program.

In-company promotions have taken various forms. Neenah and Wausau paper companies and Kimberly-Clark's Niagara mill distributed "T" shirts bearing the company logo and the S.C.B. legend. (These were made available in both adult and children's sizes; and although in most instances they were sold at cost, they moved so fast that numerous re-orders were necessary.) Bergstrom Paper Co. gave away "Robin Hood" hats which had the S.C.B. legend silk-screened on one side. Although these were supposed to be for the children of Bergstrom employees in exchange for a signed S.C.B. pledge of cooperation, the company was besieged by other city children—each wanting a hat.

Kimberly-Clark's Kimberly mill employees were issued work caps with the slogan imprinted on them. At K-C and several other Wisconsin mills, the program was tied in with a plant clean-up campaign. S.C.B. slide film presentations, tailored to local conditions, also saw service in school and community presentations in Kimberly and Niagara.

Every paper company employee publication promoted the program in articles, pictures and "cover ad" space. These last were reprinted and distributed in quantity for bulletin board use throughout all Wisconsin mills. Latest bulletin board poster distribution consisted of a clip sheet of articles, pictures and editorials which had appeared in the state press praising the pulp and paper industry's program. This was done to keep all mill employees posted on campaign developments and publicity benefiting their industry.

A total of 34 companies with 53 plants were enrolled and active in the program throughout most of Wisconsin.

The getting together, the cooperation between companies, has been productive in several directions. First, it helped to develop a feeling of "one, big industry" among employees of companies, both large and small. (The yellow S.C.B. car sticker seen all over the state, immediately says "That guy works for a paper company.") Second, the program is demonstrating to those outside the industry that "pulp and paper is big in Wisconsin." And third, the program is demonstrating the fact that Wisconsin pulp and paper people—and companies—are good citizens.

## PICTURES OF PEOPLE IN THE NEWS



### Harry Kolb Joins P.G.; Richards Is Hooker Officer

HARRY F. KOLB (left) joins Perkins-Goodwin Co. as Manager of its new San Francisco office, to facilitate handling of expanding West Coast business. He was formerly with Hercules Powder Co. in Wilmington and more recently Manager of the Papermaker's Chemical Dept. in San Francisco.

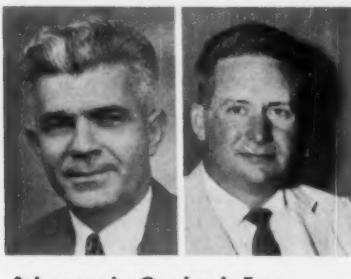
GEORGE C. RICHARDS (right), North Vancouver, B.C., has been named Asst. Treas., Hooker Chemicals, Ltd., according to Dennis A. Riordan, Treasurer of both Hooker Chemicals, Ltd., and the parent company, Hooker Electrochemical Co., Niagara Falls, N. Y. Mr. Richards is a graduate of U. of British Columbia and was formerly in accounting business in Vancouver.



### New West Coast Posts

C. B. DAVIES (left), is new Res. Mgr. of Howe Sound Pulp Div., of Canadian Forest Products Ltd., Port Mellon, B.C., succeeding Dan Williamson, who returned to Sandwell & Co., Engineers. Mr. Davies was Mgr. of Paper Machinery Sales, John Inglis Co., former Mill Mgr. of Irving Pulp & Paper and before that of E. B. Eddy mills. At Port Mellon, New Lamb-Grays Harbor baling and finishing equipment, evaporators and a Flakt dryer section increasing pulp output 25% are recent additions. To be installed: A second Combustion Engineering 500,000 lb. recovery boiler, new Dominion Bridge digesters, Research Corp. precipitator, Bauer cleaners and Cowan screens.

RICHARD A. HATCH (right) of Portland, Ore., is new West Coast Rep in sale of pulp and papermaking machinery designed and built by Sandy Hill Iron & Brass Works. For the past 3½ years he has traveled to mills in this area as a salesman specializing in closed-circuit industrial television for Central Distributor of Portland. He is an electrical engineer from Penn State Engr. School, 1932. During World War II he was a Capt. in the Signal Corps. Mr. Hatch succeeds G. Elmer Emigh of South Gate, Calif. for Sandy Hill, who retires due to ill health.



### Advance in Gaylord, Esco

WILBUR F. GILLESPIE (left), newly named General Mgr. of Gaylord Container Division mill at Bogalusa, La., division of Crown Zellerbach. "Gillie," a chemist from Queens University, Canada, started at Bogalusa in 1927, became Asst. Pulp Mill Supt. in 1930, Tech. Director in 1932, Tech. Director and Asst. Gen. Supt. in 1953 and Asst. Gen. Mgr. in 1955. He is a past President of TAPPI.

JOE E. McQUAID (right), newly named Manager of General Sales Dept., Electric Steel Foundry Co. His appointment is the result of increased emphasis on integration of the company's diversified product lines and far flung markets into a unified sales division. A veteran of 14 years with the company, Mr. McQuaid started his Esco career in the valve division in 1942, worked up to Manager of Esco—Seattle, and for the past five years has been Asst. Mgr. of Construction Equipment Division. He attended Oregon State College and U. of Oregon.



### In South for Ross; in East for Black-Clawson

KEN JONES (left), who years ago opened a Seattle office for J. O. Ross Engineering covering the Pacific Coast, has been called back to New York City headquarters. He will cover pulp and paper mills in the Southeastern section of the U.S., territory formerly covered by W. K. (Bill) METCALFE, now Vice Pres.-Sales. Mr. Jones has been with Ross for 17 years. In the South Central States, LES JANETT, Vice Pres., Chicago, swings southward for that coverage.

W. H. (Bill) KENNEDY (right) is new Sales Engineer in the Paper Machine Div., Black-Clawson Co. He first worked as a backtender at Frost White Paper Co.; graduated from the pulp and paper course at State College of Forestry; worked for Nekoosa-Edwards one summer and joined Hammermill Paper Co. in 1949 as Staff Asst. to paper mill Supt., CLARENCE KINGSTON. He married a girl from Montana and they live with their two boys in Watertown.



### In Chemical Companies' News

VANCE P. EDWARDES (left), of Corinth, N. Y., pulp and paper consultant and 1955 TAPPI Gold Medal winner, has been appointed Consultant to Soda Products Div. of Diamond Alkali Co., Cleveland, O. He has authored nearly 40 technical treatises on sulfite pulping. He was President of TAPPI in 1944 and 1945. Born in San Francisco, Calif., and a m.e. graduate of U. of California, Mr. Edwardes started his career with Crown Willamette Paper Co., West Linn, Ore. (now Crown Zellerbach), where he was a chemist and chemical engineer for four years. In 1917 he joined Forest Products Laboratory, Madison, Wis. From 1921 to 1924, he was with Interlake Pulp & Paper Co., Appleton, Wis. He returned to Madison, and in 1927 conducted the first course in sulfite pulping. As a consultant, he has undertaken special missions to Australia and to Italy.

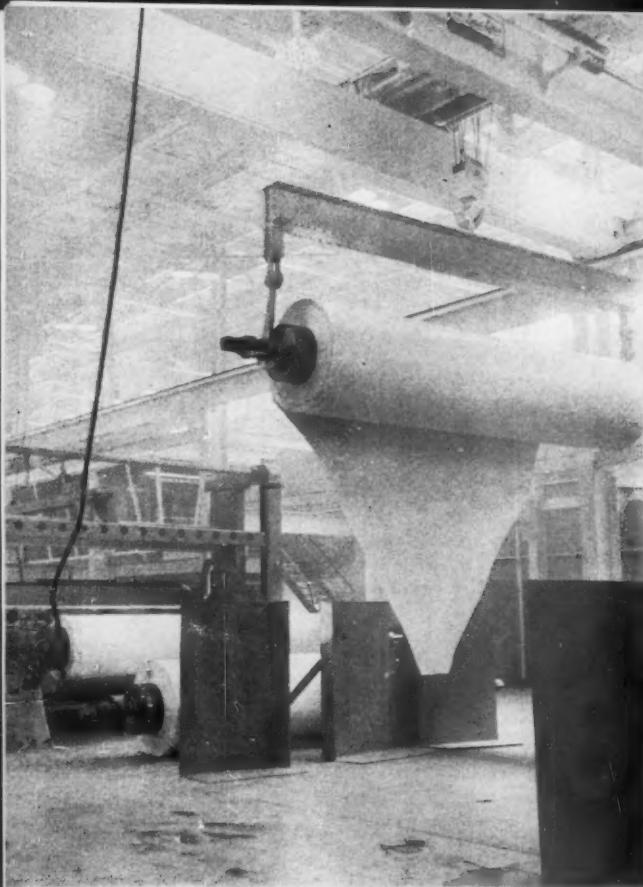
DR. WILLIAM S. EMERSON (right) has joined American Potash & Chemical Corp., as Manager of Research at its Whittier (Calif.) Research Laboratory, according to Joseph C. Schumacher, AP&CC Vice President in charge of Research. Dr. Emerson formerly was with Monsanto Chemical Co. at St. Louis. He graduated from Dartmouth College in 1934 and studied at MIT, receiving his ph.d. in 1937.



### Nopco Announces Appointments

R. B. PORTER (left) has been named Chief Chemist of Sales and Research Laboratory of Nopco Chemical Co., Harrison, N.J., for its Paper Chemicals Div. He will supervise research and development projects of the laboratory, as well as technical service functions, and be responsible for development and promotion of new paper chemicals. He is an MIT graduate.

DR. JOHN E. WARD (right) has been named to a newly created research post with Nopco. He will be responsible for development of product research programs with established goals for all of Nopco's Industrial Divisions. He is a former head of the Paper Chemicals Laboratory at Nopco, and a graduate of Institute of Paper Chemistry.



## THE CROSSETT STORY

A SPECIAL FIELD REPORT BY PULP & PAPER

• Since the early twenties, the Crossett Company at Crossett, Ark., has been a leader in research and development of carefully planned integration of forest products. Climaxing its program of utilization is its new \$16 million bleached foodboard mill, which uses a combination of neutral sulfite semi-chemical and kraft pulps.

Crossett also has made giant strides in the fields of community relations, forest management, integration and the investigation of new processes. Here, for the first time, is the dramatic story of the new Crossett, its new mill and the work behind the scenes that helped develop this process.

On the following pages are:

**First**, the story of the Crossett community. There are ideas here which are useful and worthwhile for other pulp and paper mill towns.

**Second**, the complete field-written story of the new foodboard plant—a neutral sulfite semi-chemical pulp mill, a kraft and NSSC bleach plant, and a board mill with a 216 in. cylinder machine. Many new ideas and innovations are explained and illustrated.

### FINALLY—TURN TO OUR PULPWOOD SECTION . . .

For a background story on forest management and integration of high efficiency at Crossett. This is a story of value to people in all phases of this industry . . . not only our readers who are pulpwood producers and processors.

#### *The Town:*

## Experiment in Community Relations

One way a top company lures top talent to its ranks; a gamble surpassing even the wildest dreams of success

• A few months ago, bomb-voiced Tennessee Ernie Ford scored an overnight recording success with a song called "Sixteen Tons." It told the story of an old-time industrial evil—the "company store" which held more than one worker's "soul in hock" through the years (even though there were many stores—private and company—which wrote off such debts as losses). America took this song of the past to its heart and suffered right along with its tragic hero.

At Crossett, Ark., there once was a company store. As a matter of fact, the company not only owned the store—it owned the whole town, lock, stock and firehouse. Then in 1946, to the amazement of the local townsfolk, the Crossett company offered its town for sale. Today, the company rightfully boasts that it was the smartest piece of business in its history.

The decision to sell Crossett to the people who lived in the town was no overnight decision, nor was it

prompted by any sudden edict on the part of the company executives to get out of the real estate business. Crossett was a town built by logger's ax and sweat. Everything in it, except the U.S. Post Office, belonged to the company which owned the surrounding 920 square miles of Arkansas. Luckily for the folks in Crossett, it was a progressive company with eyes that could see beyond the next tree stump. The philosophy of the company was—and still is—basically the philosophy of good forestry: nothing worth a hoot grows overnight. You must plant the seed and wait for the harvest.

Crossett Co. planted the seed of good community responsibility in 1946. It is still growing, but the company and its people are already harvesting a rich crop.

In a way, the development of the town of Crossett since 1946 is identical to the development of intelligently planned forestland. You plant, you

cut, you reseed. You perpetuate the forest. Crossett has perpetuated a town and in so doing has perpetuated itself.

**WHAT WAS WRONG WITH CROSSETT?**—On that morning 10 years ago when the company decided to put its town on the sale block, there wasn't really anything wrong with the town. The company helped provide medical service requiring only minimum payments, rent was extremely low, repairs were made in a hurry when one of the company houses sprung a leak, work was steady and wages were good. The trouble was, Crossett wasn't really anybody's home. Young people went away to college and never came back. Labor turnover was high.

So on Dec. 5, 1946, the company announced it would sell to the people who lived there—no speculators. Homes were offered to the tenants who lived in them. The company was astounded. Every renter BUT

ONE bought his home. And the theory that good citizenship required responsibility was proved overnight. Half the town rushed out and bought paint—any color but gray. Water consumption jumped 1,300 gal. in one month—people were gardening lawns they had never paid any attention to before. Taxes, formerly paid by the company, were raised by an overwhelming vote and two new schools were built. A new municipal building with a public library was approved and built. A woman even ran for political office.

Crossett Co. had joined in the spirit of civic duty. In 1941, it had hired one of the nation's top city planning firms to lay out a new town for 5,000 inhabitants. (The population was then 3,000.) It contributed to the new school buildings, built a swimming pool for the town, lined out parks. Industry was attracted to Crossett as its face was lifted. The planning firm has been called in twice more to lay out the town for larger populations. Now, Crossett has a city plan for a town of 25,000. Townspeople who had once bought everything from a baby crib to a casket from the company store soon saw their "main drag" blossom out like the modernistic main street of a resort town, with three times as much off-street parking space as there was office area. New banks, nine new churches, a riding stable, a theater, a radio station—all flocked into the new town.

**CROSSETT: CIRCA 1975**  
is shown on this map. PAUL KAYS, Manager of the company's Town Division, points to new residential area. Top planning group laid out town for population of 25,000, utilizing latest developments such as off-street parking.



Today, you can walk into the office of Paul Kays, manager of the Town Division of the Crossett Co., and he can show you exactly what Crossett will look like as it grows—every foot of the way.

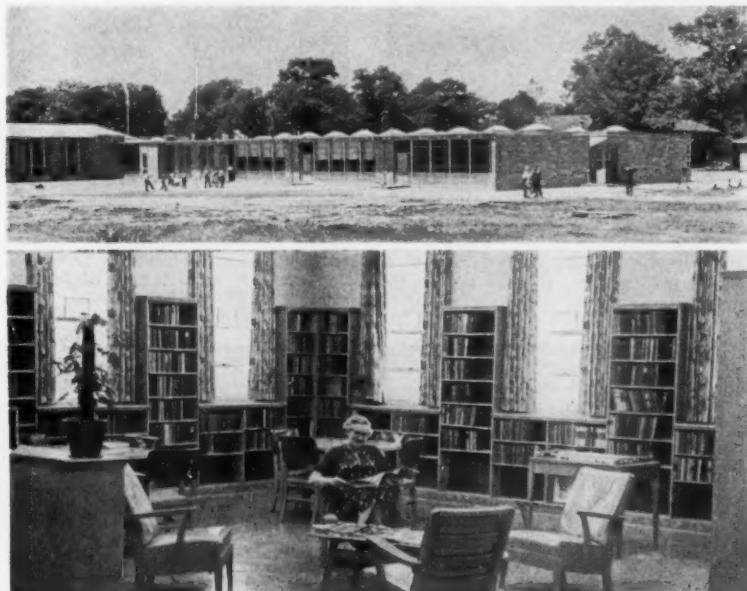
**THE SIGNIFICANCE OF CROSSETT'S MOVE**—What does this revolutionary step taken by Crossett mean to the rest of the paper industry? It can mean many things. People who work for the company now have a nice town to call their own. Labor

turnover is low. The company can offer—and get—the pick of the crop of young technicians. They want to live in this town and that is a very important consideration.

Take Drew Johnson for instance. He's been with the company for six years. A chem engineering graduate of the Univ. of Arkansas, he is a tour boss at the pulp mill. Said Johnson:

"Salary was only part of the reason I came here. When I finished up and was touring around looking for my spot, I was looking for a good place for my family as much as anything else. We were sold when we hit Crossett. It's a pretty town and it's a friendly town. I can't walk a block without saying hello a dozen times. There's always a lot to do. Do you know they have a concert association here? Sure. They bring in fine entertainment. In our town, a kid's birthday party or cooking in the backyard is important. That's a big thing. Schools and churches are important. The thing is, we're happy here. This is a good place to bring up a family. What's money if you're not happy?"

Drew Johnson's philosophy is a prevalent one today. The young, ambitious college man will no longer settle for a high salary—he's looking for other things. Competition among paper companies today is keener than ever before. It is likely to become even more so. Any mill executive knows that to get a good man these days, he must bid for him—and all too often the bidding is in the form of cold, hard cash and offers of advancement up the ranks. Just as obvious, however, is the fact that many paper towns in the South grew so fast they never took time to become "hometowns." They are mill towns,



**"HOME-OWNED" CROSSETT BUILDS AND IMPROVES.** . . . Symbols of the modernization of Crossett are to be found in the new elementary school (top), to which Crossett Co. helps town attract top teachers, and in new public library (bottom), for which voters overwhelmingly approved a bond issue to make this and other improvements possible. Crossett Co. helped all it could, realizing that an investment in the town and community responsibility was a sound one.

and some of them are about as attractive as a black eye.

Until recently, few people realized the importance or the size of the paper industry. For years, automobile, steel, aviation and chemical industries have been selling themselves to the youth of the nation. External public relations is more important than ever to the paper industry for it is in competition today with other big industries—and many of the competitors

have the jump.

Paper companies may find, too, that by fostering a good face-lifting in their town, they can attract the essential brainpower it takes to grow and progress. An attraction like good schools often means more than a few extra dollars a week. New companies, building up a crossroads that is merely a dot on the map with a filling station and a drug store will find that Crossett can supply a valuable

blueprint for the future.

One thing is indisputable. A good town such as Crossett is as valuable an investment these days as a good forest. At Crossett they know that a man is a more valuable asset than a tree and they have done something about it. Nobody here owes his soul to the company store. It's the other way around, the company owes its soul to the people.

They both like it that way.



CROSSETT COMPANY'S top man—President PETER WATZEK, whose family has pioneered good forest utilization in Oregon and Arkansas.



TOP ADMINISTRATORS of entire Crossett Co. are WILLIAM C. NORMAN, right, Gen. Mgr. of company, and his Assistant, ROBERT NASON, left.



IMPORTANT FIGURES in development of new mill are JAMES C. HAIR, right (seated), Mgr. of Crossett Paper Mills; JACK MULHOLLAND, Sales Mgr. of all paper products.



THEY HAVE FINGER ON PULSE of new mill—JACK MEADOWS (seated) is Assistant to Mill Mgr. Jim Hair. A. B. MOORE, JR., standing, is Production Mgr. of Bleached Foodboard Mill.



HE LED RESEARCH project which developed process used in new mill: Research Dir. K. G. CHESLEY, shown in laboratory.



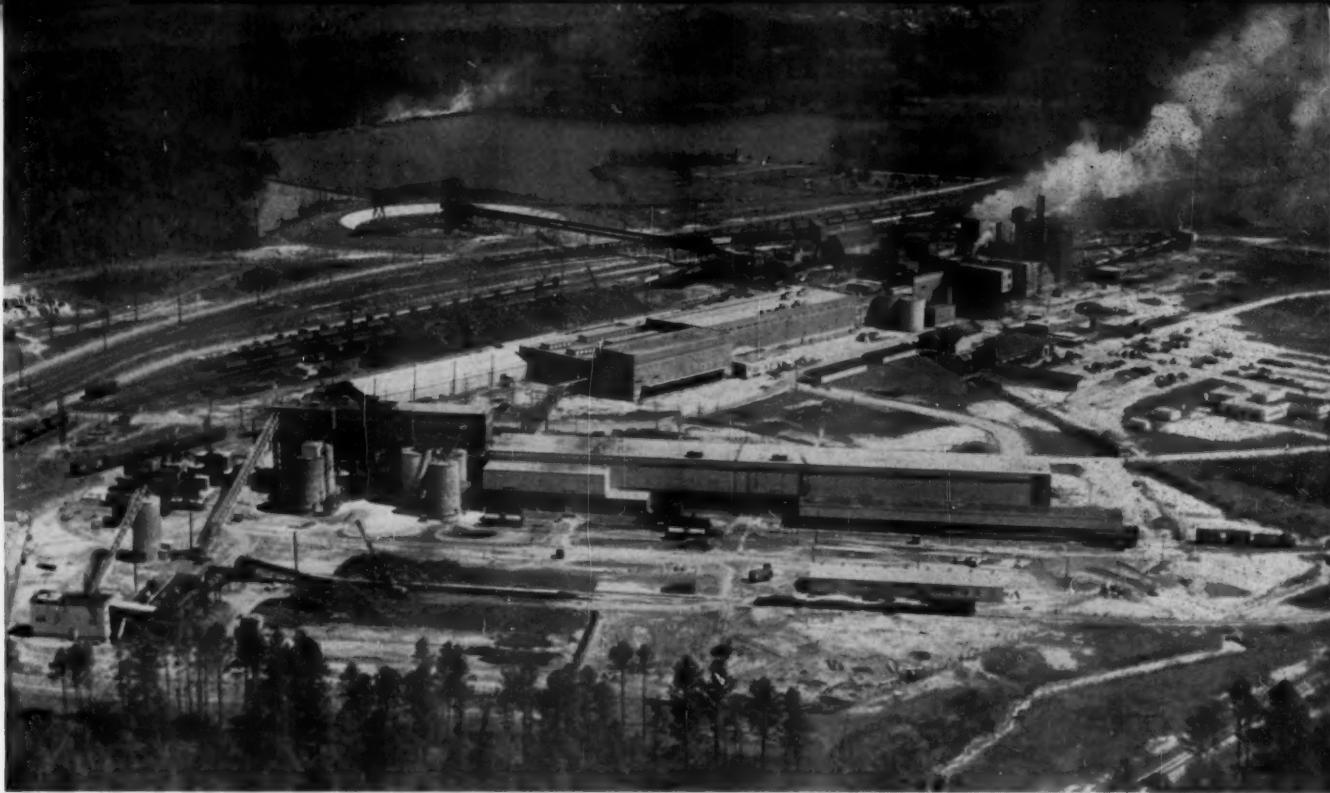
SUPT. OF PULP MILL NO. 2, R. E. (BOB) COLLINS, is shown in front of one-level pulp mill. At rear, deckers covered by fully enclosed hood; bleach washers in front.



GLASS-ENCLOSED OFFICE for Supt. of Paper Mill No. 2, C. H. (SNAG) DUNN, overlooks dry end of machine.



PERSONNEL FOR NEW MILL WAS SELECTED by R. P. MEREDITH (left), Personnel Director, who discusses promotion ideas with RAMON GREENWOOD, Crossett's new Public Relations Director.



**THE NEW LOOK AT CROSSETT . . .** In foreground are the new semi-chemical neutral sulfite pulp mill, at left, connecting with the new foodboard cylinder machine building . . . the long building extending to right. Behind these new installations—Mill No. 1—the older Crossett kraft pulp and paper mill.

**The Mill:**

## **NSSC Plus Kraft Equals Foodboard**

### **Complete story on Crossett's new \$16 million bleached foodboard mill; full description of mill operation**

● Among the nationally-known newsmen who were present when Crossett's new \$16 million bleached foodboard mill was debuted last March was Mutual Network newscaster, Cedric Foster, who, in two days of "live" broadcasting from the Arkansas forests, expressed continual amazement over the miracle of papermaking which makes it possible to put a tree into one end of a mill and get a paper cup out the other.

This is nothing new or amazing to papermakers. But there is something new for them at Crossett—the Crossett-developed process of making bleached foodboard out of a combination of neutral sulfite semi-chemical and kraft pulps. This is a mighty research stroke by Crossett and one which inspired one industry leader to describe it as "a revolutionary development."

One thing is certain, Crossett expects monumental things of its new mill. Previously concerned only with the manufacture of unbleached kraft wrapping and converting papers at its

1937 kraft mill, it has entered a new field and so put its "pulp" eggs in two baskets.

The decision to make food packaging in its new mill is well based. A survey showed Crossett's president, Peter Watzek, and his staff, that the production of food containers and package boards increased from 461,000 tons in 1947 to 1,002,000 tons in 1954—a boost of 117%. But the decision to build this new mill goes back further than that. As early as 1944 Crossett began studies in oak and gum pulping at its research laboratories and at the Institute of Paper Chemistry, the Forest Products Lab at Madison, Wis., and Solvay Process Div.

**A DRAMATIC QUEST . . .** When Crossett began its experiments, it was suspected that a mixture of pine pulp and hard-to-utilize hardwoods might produce a better grade of board than those made from bleached kraft pine pulp. For eight years, while pine pulping continued to develop, hard-

woods also were studied closely at Crossett. An intensive research program resulted in the gradual perfection of a process to pulp oak and gum. In 1952, the decision to build a new mill for foodboard manufacture was reached and in the year following virtually all of the facilities at Crossett's labs were devoted to perfection of the process combining sulfite and sulfate pulps.

The experiment spread out all over the U.S. Since NSSC facilities were not available at Crossett, hardwoods were shipped to Madison, pulped in the Forest Products Laboratory, and tested in various combinations on its small 12-in. machine. At Crossett, meanwhile, facilities for making NSSC were also installed so experimentation could be stepped up. When Research Director K. G. Chesley and his staff felt they were nearing the end of their quest, the entire Herty Foundation Laboratory at Savannah, Ga., was rented for a month.

Gum and oak pulpwood, shipped from Crossett, was made into NSSC

at Herty. Seven Crossett research engineers, working with the entire Herty staff, went on a 24-hour-a-day schedule and produced more than five tons of pulp in 150 lb. batches. This was packaged and sent to Reading, Pa., where, at Federal Paper Board Co., it was blended with purchased pine into cylinder board. This was sent back to Crossett to be tested. The result was success. In 1953, the Crossett Board of Directors resolved to start work on the new mill immediately and the task of designing and engineering it went to J. E. Sirrine Co., Engineers, of Greenville, S. C.

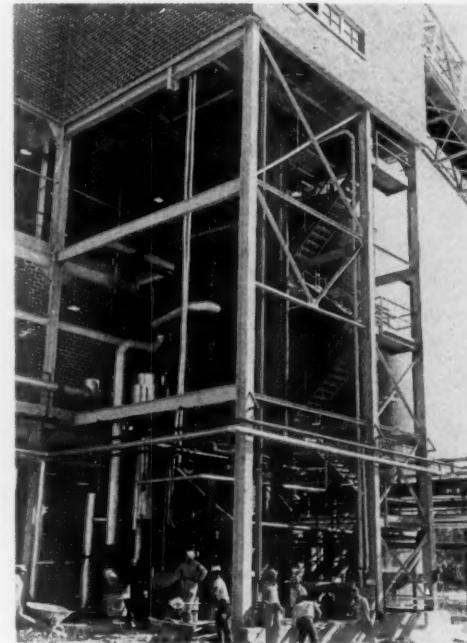
**MANY MEN PLAYED IMPORTANT ROLES . . .** Among those who worked directly on this project were James C. Hair, manager of Crossett Paper Mills since 1952; Jack Meadows, now his assistant; Dave Kuhe, who has since joined Hudson Pulp & Paper Co. at Palatka, Fla., but was influential in its conception; A. B. Moore, Jr., now production manager of the new mill; Jack Mulholland, Crossett sales manager who will sell the new product; R. P. Meredith, Crossett personnel director, who directed staffing operations; William C. Norman, general manager of Crossett Co., and his assistant, Robert Nason; and R. E. (Bob) Collins, picked as superintendent of pulp mill No. 2, and C. H. (Snag) Dunn, who is superintendent of paper mill No. 2. Since the forestry division was to be the cornucopia of raw materials, its director Sulo Sihvonen also played an important part in the development of the plant.

**WHERE THEY FOUND WATER . . .** One of the more interesting aspects of this new mill is its water supply, which was uncovered by one of the earliest investigations in the development of the new process. In 1949, an engineering survey discovered an ancient, underground river about eight miles southeast of the mill. Tests showed that this underground water supply was adequate to meet the heavy demands of bleached pulping.

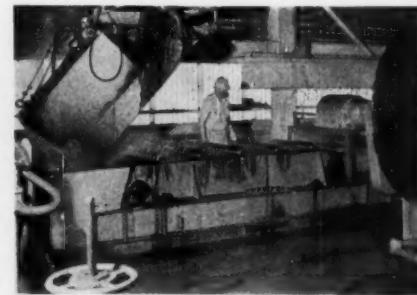
Five 17 in., five-stage wells were sunk by Layne & Bowler, Inc., and three 5,500 gpm, 135 ft. Infilco water supply pumps driven by Reliance motors now supply this water to Mill No. 1, where it is softened and prepared for use in the new mill.

The mill is located to the southwest of the kraft mill so that ash and dirt from the initial mill are blown away most of the time, an important factor in making clean bleached boards and pulp. Its construction required the combined efforts of 35 different con-

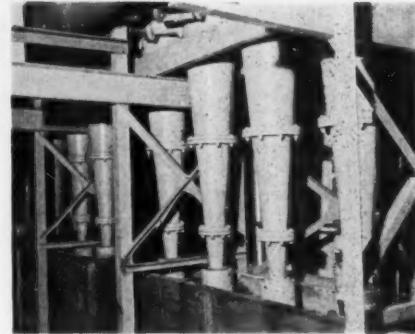
### Pictorial "Flow Sheet" of Crossett's New Pulp Operations



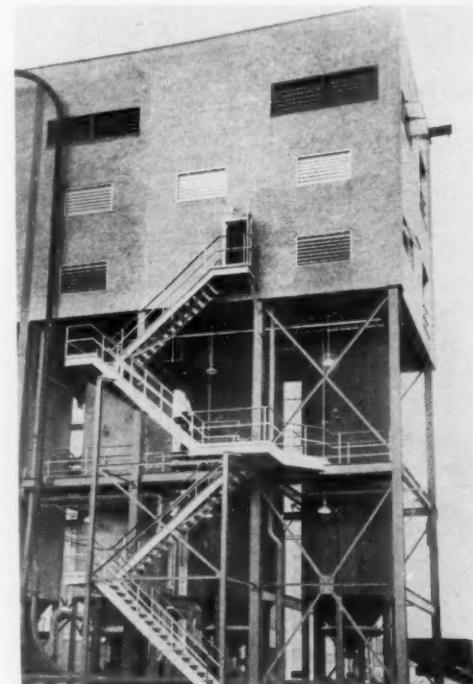
**STAINLESS CLAD DIGESTER . . .** a 3,500 cu. ft. cooker provided by Chicago Bridge for semi-chemical pulp operation.



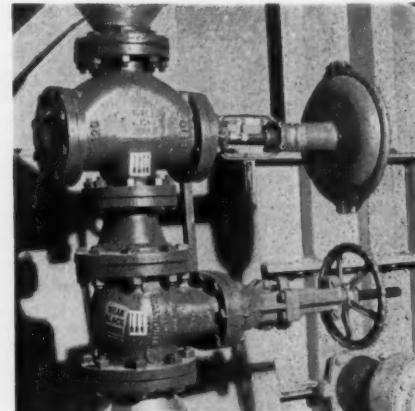
**CONVEYED IN STAINLESS . . .** A Bauer Bros. 36-in. drainer conveyor drains off liquor.



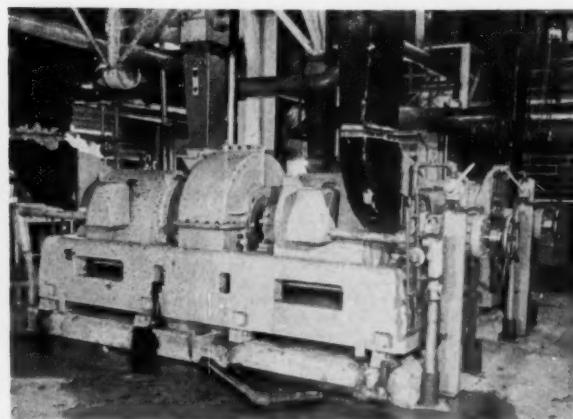
**REMOVES 99½% IMPURITIES . . .** Seven primary Bauer Centri-Cleaners and one secondary.



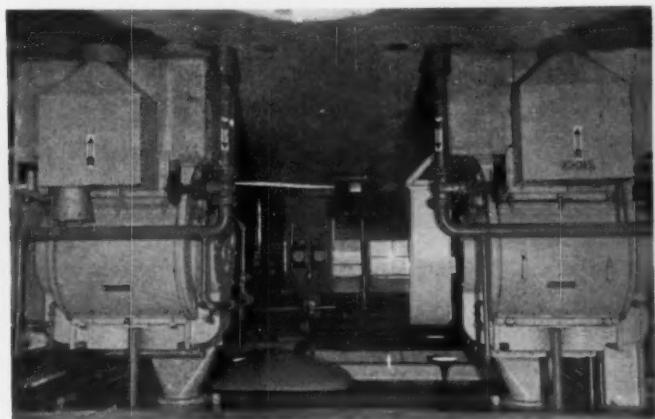
**NEW KRAFT DIGESTERS NEEDED, TOO . . .** Here are two new Chicago Bridge & Iron kraft digesters, which were needed over in kraft mill for added capacity.



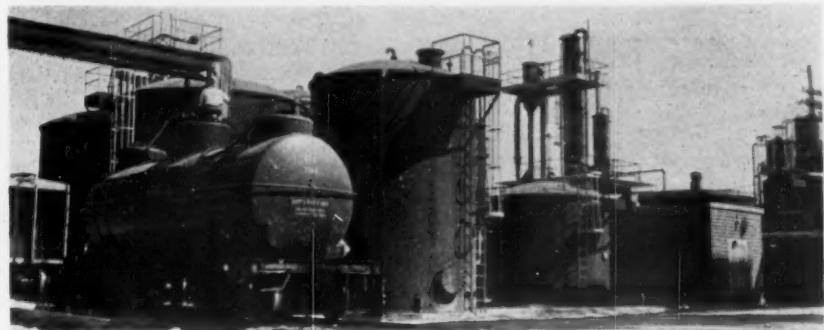
**STOCK FLOW . . .** Note arrows showing stock flow through these Walworth valves.



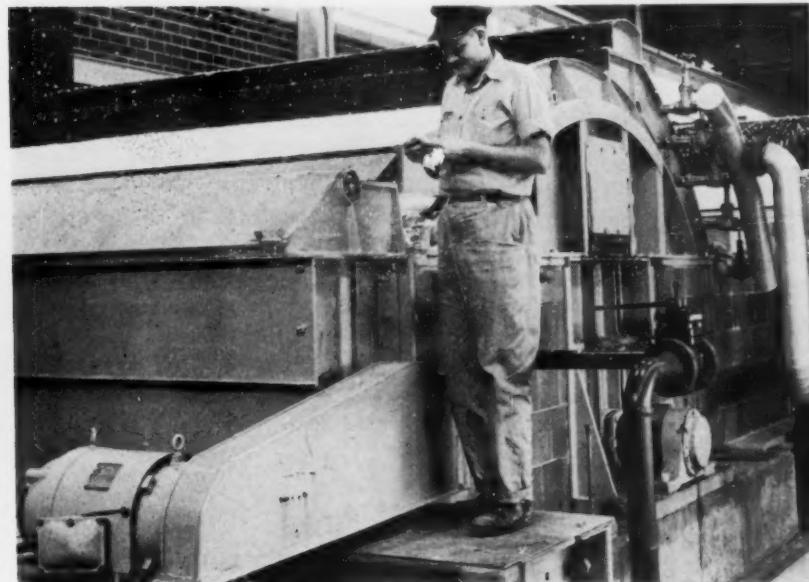
**REFINING BEFORE WASHING . . .** with 70 tons per day capacity Bauer Bros. double disc refiner.



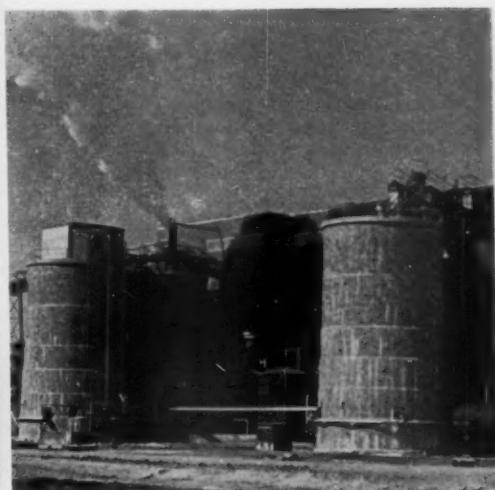
**SCREENING . . .** Two Impeo centrifugal screens. Note arrows marking stock flow—also used in many places on piping.



**CHEMICAL AREA . . .** including equipment for Olin Mathieson chlorine dioxide generating system.



**TWO-WAY BLEACHING . . .** three stages are used for NSSC; four stages for kraft.



**FINALLY, STORAGE OF PULPS . . .** Stebbins tile tanks with NSSC and kraft at left, high density bleached pulp in middle, stock ahead of refining at right.

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tracting firms located in all parts of the U.S. A 25-acre site accommodates the 838 ft. long, 72 ft. wide mill and there is plenty of elbow room for expansion at both mills. Board ranges from .009 to .040 calipers and sales are made by reservation of machine time by regular customers. A two-schedule month provides two regular shipments every 30 days.

The new bleached foodboard mill is as modern as a trip to the moon. Equipment and designing were carefully selected by Supts. Collins and Dunn. The pulp and paper mills adjoin and the pulp mill operation is confined to one floor with digester and controls at one end, followed by screening, refining, washing and bleaching. This is the only enclosed floor in the pulp mill and is designed for maximum efficiency. A ventilation system by Ben J. Malone, of Memphis, Tenn., is designed to carry heat and fumes out through ceiling ports and filter all incoming air. Structural steel for this modernistic, reinforced concrete building was provided by Consolidated Western Steel Co., Houston, Tex., with digester supports supplied by Electric Steel Foundry Co., Portland, Ore.

**A MILL OF INNOVATIONS . . .** More than just the process at this mill is new. Its very conception dictated many innovations in designing and supplying raw materials for its operation. Among these innovations is the piping system between the two mills.

Lines carry unbleached kraft (seven tons an hour at 3% consistency); steam (125,000 lbs./hr. at 450 psig); 14 million gal. of soft water a day; and hot and cold running water from Mill No. 1 to Mill No. 2. Waste water (for use as cooling water in the jet condenser); NSSC black liquor (to be blended with kraft liquor ahead of the evaporators) and effluent are carried back to the first mill from the new one. Interconnecting lines also provide for dual use of the 100,000 gal. Grinnell fire protection system at the first mill. Warren pumps driven by Reliance motors provide uniform flow through the system.

Electrical power is purchased from Arkansas Power & Light Co., with a two-way tie-in between the two mills that is unusual. Twelve Westinghouse substations transform voltage from 13,800 to 480 volts and two 2,000 kva transformers are provided for voltage transmission from 13,800 to 2,400 volts. A 15 kv Westinghouse switch-gear provides control for the various feeder lines and the relay system is fully coordinated.

#### INSTRUMENTATION: A "FIRST"

**IN SOUTHERN MILLS . . .** For the first time in a Southern paper mill, installation of instruments was set up and awarded as a separate contract, under supervision of Instrument Director Willard Toney. Panellit Co., of Skokie, Ill., built the flush type enclosed panels and purchased the instruments, although Sirrine designed the boards and selected the instruments. In line with the trend toward specialization, Panellit is comparatively new to the paper industry, although they have been instrument specialists for other industries for years. In all, 10 panels and six consoles, including the bleach department control board, were installed, calibrated and tested by Panellit. Instruments are by Foxboro, Fischer & Porter and Taylor.

the 36 in. stainless Bauer Bros. drainer conveyor where black liquor is filtered off. A scraper type conveyor carries the chips through the drainer, under a second (24 in.) magnet for insurance-pickup, and then to two 9 in. Bauer Bros. screw feeders, at 18 to 25% consistency.

**REFINING AND WASHING CYCLE . . .** Chips next are passed through a Bauer Bros. double disc refiner driven by 2400 volt Westinghouse motors. The original design called for stock to be refined before and after washing. However, because this system was found to have lower freeness, it was abandoned and the second refiner is used as an "insurance" reserve. The one refiner produces about 70 tons a day.

Refined stock at about 3% consistency is channeled through a Stebbins surge chest with horizontal Impco agitator and then is pumped directly to two countercurrent Impco valveless washers. Rotary washing was chosen for NSSC after careful evaluation of both it and the leach caster and screw press method. A third washer in line with the primary and secondary is presently being used as a decker. It can be converted, however, if production changes call for it. All three washers are totally enclosed by a Ross hood. Weak brown liquor is used as a primary wash and hot water in the secondary. "Washed out" liquor at about 8 to 10% solids goes to the brown filtrate tank. The stock comes off the secondary washer at about 12% consistency and is conveyed to the washed stock tank.

From there it goes to two Impco centrifugal pump screens. Then it is delivered to seven primary Bauer Centri-Cleaners and one secondary, which get about 99% impurities out of the pulps before it is thickened to 12 to 14% consistency on the valveless decker and conveyed to a 125-ton brown stock storage chest provided with agitation. The washers, 11½ ft. in diameter with a 16 ft. face, are the largest made by Impco.

Unbleached kraft at 3% consistency, meanwhile, has been delivered to Mill No. 2, thickened to 10% in a decker atop the storage chest and stored in a 125-ton Stebbins tile chest.

## Chemical Area

**WHERE CHEMICALS ARE MADE . . .** The chemical area, where cooking and bleaching solutions are prepared, is located adjacent to the pulp mill. Cooking chemicals are unloaded from rail cars, diluted in water, and

stored in separate dilution tanks in proper strength. Sulfite and carbonate are automatically mixed in proper proportions as needed to supply cooking liquor for the pulp mill.

The Olin Mathieson chlorine dioxide generating system is used for bleaching. A four-stage bleach plant using chlorine dioxide as the final stage was chosen over standard five and six stage bleaching operations because, says Supt. Collins, it represents the most up-to-date method for producing high-whiteness pulp with minimum loss in strength. Chlorine is received as a liquid in tank cars and automatically vaporized as needed for bleaching and for making sodium hypochlorite bleach. Caustic, also delivered in tank car as a 75% concentrated solution, is diluted to 25% concentration before it is stored. It is removed from storage automatically as needed and diluted to 9% concentration before use. Sodium hypochlorite bleaching solution is made in continuous system which automatically proportions chlorine gas into a caustic solution to produce a proper strength of bleach.

The final stage bleaching agent, chlorine dioxide, is made by reacting sulfur dioxide, sodium chlorate and sulfuric acid together in a chlorine dioxide generator. It is stored in a 24-hour supply tank from which it is pumped as needed to the bleach plant. The chlorine dioxide gas coming off the top of the generator is absorbed in cold water in an absorption tower.

## Bleaching Section

**TWO-WAY OPERATION IS DIFFERENT . . .** Bleaching at Crossett's new mill, like many other aspects of it, is different. Actually it is a two-way operation, although both operations are performed on the same equipment in continuous cycle.

Since NSSC reaches a brightness of about 90 G.E. in only three stages while it takes four for kraft, kraft is bleached for two days and NSSC for one in a three-day continuous cycle. About 110 tons of kraft are used for every 65 tons of NSSC, although technicians feel that a 50-50 ratio may produce a better grade of board and are still working to achieve this ratio. Kraft is merely fed into the first stage directly behind the NSSC as its cycle is completed or vice versa. Three types of pulp are produced here—semi-bleached kraft, fully-bleached kraft and fully-bleached NSSC. Each is stored in separate 125-ton 30 x 55 ft. high density Stebbins tile towers. A

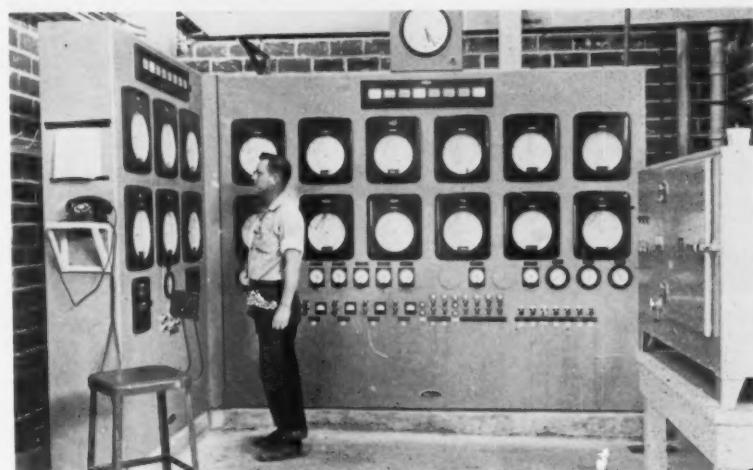
### Instrumentation

Provided by Panellit Co., instrumentation at Crossett is typical of trend toward specialization. Panellit set up and calibrated instrument boards and consoles, although instruments were selected and boards designed by Sirrine.



INSTRUMENT MAN WIL-LARD TONEY worked out instrumentation with Sirrine and Panellit companies.

DIGESTER INSTRU-MENTS and controls for loading and cooking.



CONSOLE BOARD for bleached plant.

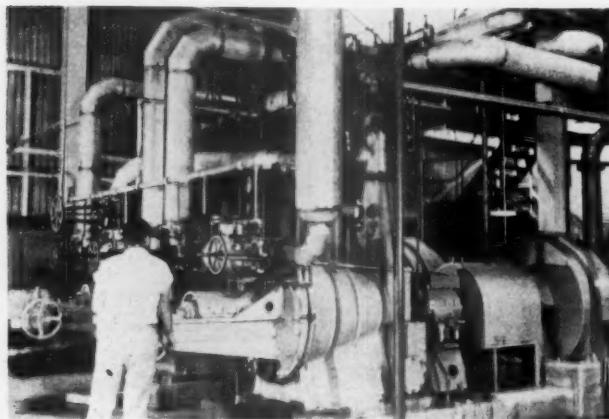
unique system of conveyors designed by Sirrine and built by Birmingham Fabricating Co., carries the various grades of bleached pulp to storage towers.

Bleach washing is carried out on four Impco valveless washers, the same size as the brown stock washers and equipped with Reliance V\*S variable speed drives through Falk gears. Chlorination is carried out at low density. The chlorination tower is preceded by two pretreatment towers to provide for two stage chlorination with a short retention time between

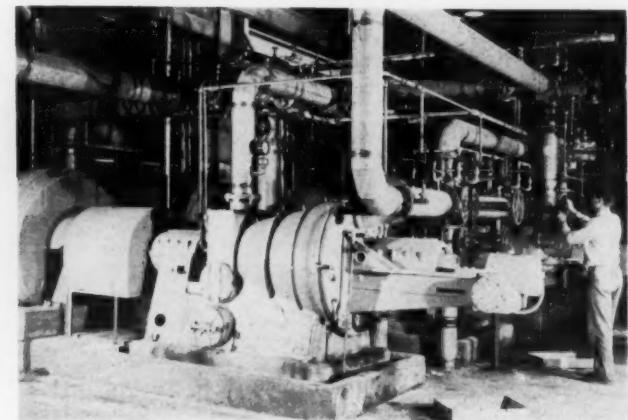
each chlorination.

High density caustic extraction is carried out in a 13 1/2 x 41 ft. tower preceding the caustic extraction washer which discharges into the 18 1/2 ft. x 41 ft. tower. The pulp is pumped from the hypochlorite washer by an Impco high density stock pump through an Impco single shaft, Hastelloy C mixer to the 18 1/2 x 55 ft. ClO<sub>2</sub> tower. Bleached stock is delivered to high-density storage at 11% to 13% consistency. Four Stebbins seal boxes on the third floor accommodate chlorine, caustic, hypo and chlorine

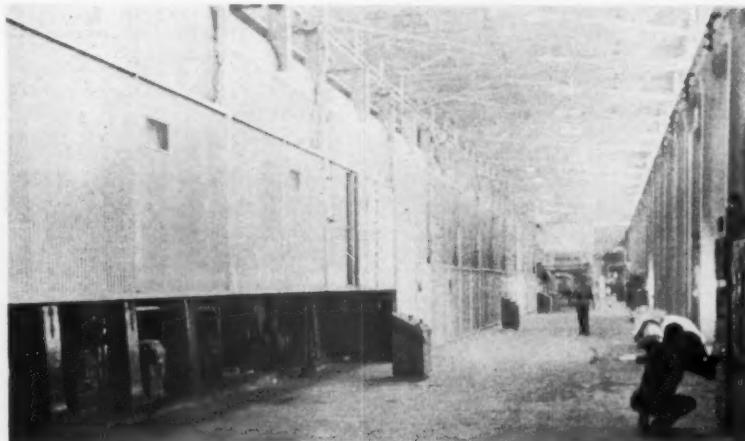
"Flow Sheet" of Crossett's New Paper Mill in Pictures



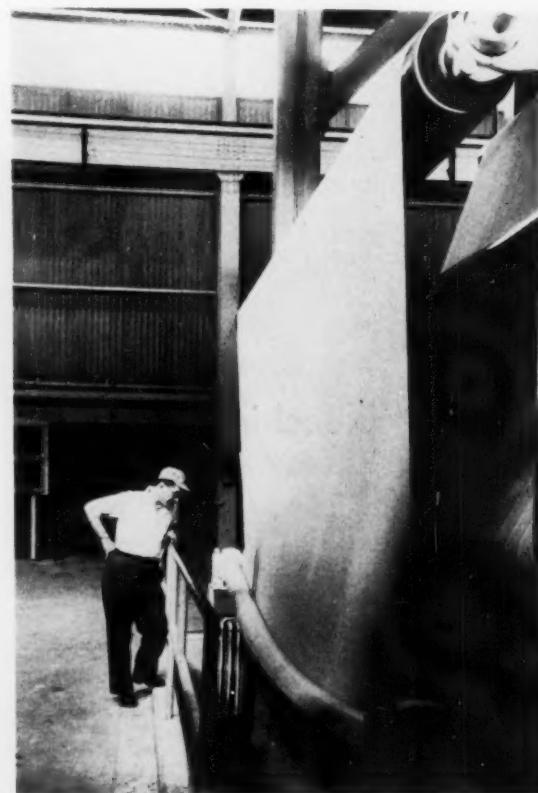
HYDRAFINING . . . Black-Clawson Hydrafiners prepare stock.



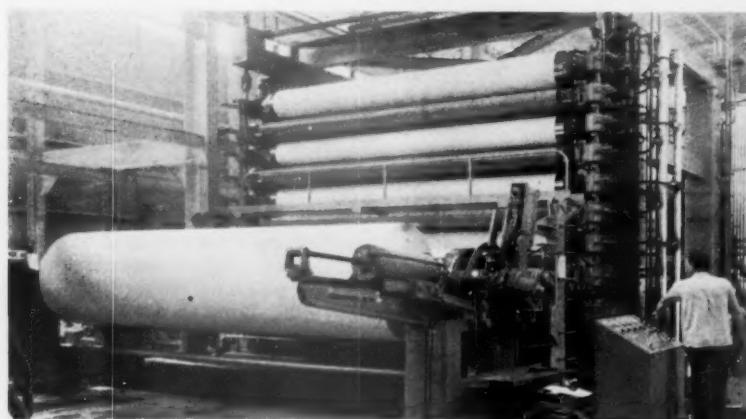
JORDANS DO THEIR WORK . . . These are Shartle Bros. Miami No. 5's.



DRY END OF MACHINE . . . There are 53 paper and felt dryers under completely enclosed Ross Engineering hood. It even encloses basement section.

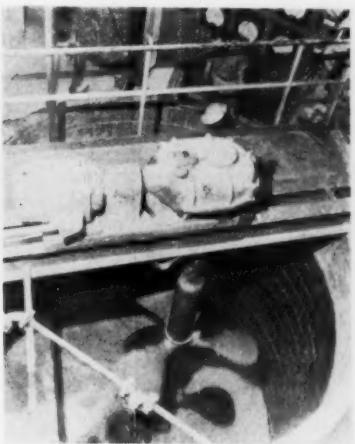


MOUNT HOPE EXPANDER ROLL . . . on outside end of vat circles on machine. Beloit supplied the felt whippers and ringers.

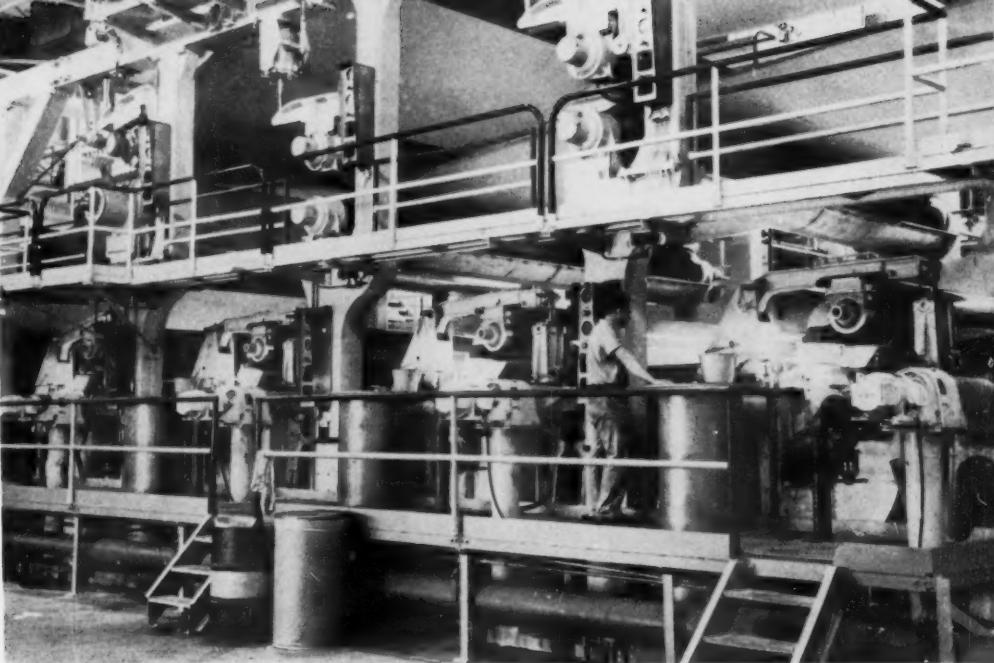


CALENDERING . . . Beloit provided a 7-roll wet stack and 9-roll steam heated stack.

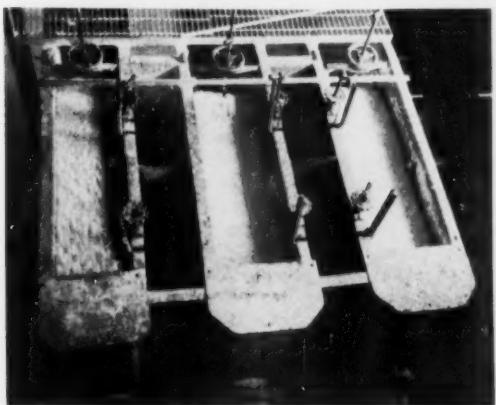
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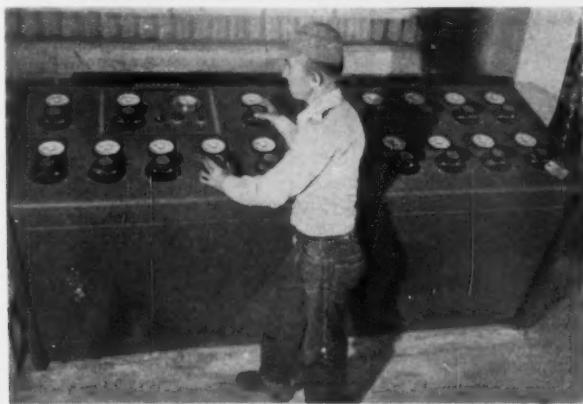
**LINER STOCK CHEST** . . . This Stebbins tile chest has Shartle agitator.



**WHERE SHEET IS FORMED** . . . Beloit 216 in. machine has five cylinders with counterflow and uniflow systems. Plies of pine and hardwood are used "where they do most good."



**FOR CONSTANT LEVEL** . . . These boxes by Black-Clawson are in use.



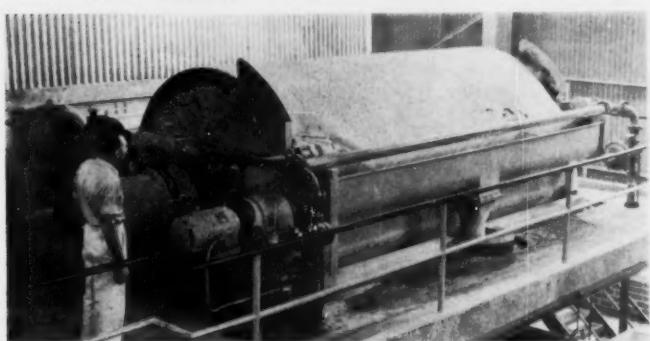
**CONTROL OF DRIVES** . . . Panel by Reliance which provided helper drives for machines.



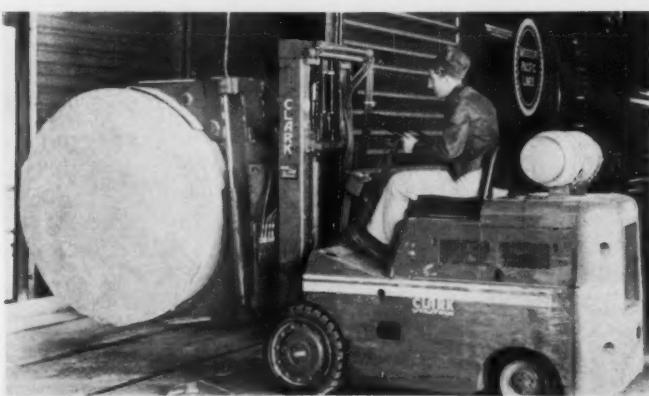
**MACHINE DRIVES** . . . taken behind Beloit cylinder machine.



**FINISHING** . . . 40 ton electric lifter carries roll above Beloit cutter.



**FIBER IS RECOVERED** . . . with this Impco vacuum saveall.



**SHIPPING** . . . Clark Utilitrac with Hydratork drive.

dioxide washer filtrates. The bleaching towers were made by Chattanooga Boiler & Tank Co. and tile lined by Stebbins.

## The Paper Mill

**HOW STOCK IS READIED FOR MACHINE . . .** The stock preparation department at Mill No. 2 is perhaps the most intricately designed of all departments. This is to enable full utilization of all three types of bleached pulp as well as broke. The three types of bleached pulp are sent first through DeZurik consistency regulators into beater storage chests equipped with horizontal Shartle Bros. agitators and drives. The kraft pulps—both semi- and fully-bleached—are circulated through two No. 6 Black-Clawson Hydrafiners powered by 350 hp Westinghouse synchronous motors. From there, kraft pulps are delivered to a partitioned, constant level box.

Semi-chemical pulp is delivered directly to the level box and from there all three types are pumped into a proportioning box where they may be blended according to furnish requirements. Stock is then fed either to the liner dump chest to be mixed in batch or to the filler machine chest, which operates on continuous flow. Broke, pumped by Goulds pumps either to broke storage or a saveall, can be delivered either to the proportioning box, directly into the filler system or into the machine vats.

Filler passes through a single Black-Clawson Miami jordan with 350 hp Westinghouse synchronous drive and then through a filler surge chest to the machine vats. Liner is pumped from the dump chest into a vertical blending chest with vertical agitator where it is mixed with necessary additives before being pumped to the liner machine chest through the jordans and delivered to the liner surge chest and thence to the machine. Piping and controls are arranged to permit either filler or liner stock to be supplied to any or all of the vats on the machine.

Starch is cooked in continuous automatic starch cooking equipment with flow regulators and meters and a pneumatic temperature controller. A Hercules Powder automatic emulsifier system provides up to 30,000 lbs. of size every 24 hours.

## The Machine

**"THE FINAL TOUCH" . . .** With all the other ingenious designs in this interchanging system, the machine

adds the final touch of up-to-date design and innovation. One of the two largest cylinder machines in the world (216 in.), it was designed by Crossett and Beloit engineers, working together. It is the first cylinder machine in the South with a completely enclosed Ross hood. The hood also encloses the basement section of the machine, where it can be slid back for full excess to the under section of the machine for removal of broke and for repairs. Telescope type panels permit full entry to the operating floor section of the machine and a door in the dry end permits operators to enter without lifting the hood. Ross has supplied this hood with Briner Economizers which preheat all air supplied to the machine.

Another "first" is the couch pit on the wet end of the machine to handle wet end broke. The company officials selected a cylinder type machine instead of a Fourdrinier because they said the former has definite board-making assets. The cylinder machine, because it makes a sheet of several plies, permits distribution of the pine and hardwood pulps in the sheet "where they will do the most good," say Crossett operators. They added: "This enhances the ability of the company to use the maximum percent of hardwoods and minimum of pine pulp."

**COUNTERFLOW AND UNIFLOW . . .** The five-cylinder machine was designed with a counterflow and uniflow system for supplying the machine vats, which can be interswitched without stopping the machine. Uniflow, generally, is used for lighter grades of board. The nickel-bronze vat circles on the wet end are also adjustable without shutting down the machine. The five vats each feature a 60 in. cylinder with a 216 in. face and are adjustable at five different points on vat circle. White water is conditioned by passage through either of two tile collecting boxes at the back of the machine, each equipped with a 24 in. centrifugal 12,000 gpm Goulds pump.

Cylinders are each equipped with a 24 in. couch roll and the machine has a 36 in. drum press with two plain primary presses, suction primary and plain first press following. Then comes an inverse suction second press and six 60 in. paper dryers ahead of a heavy-duty third hot press. All of the couching and top press rolls have hydraulic lifting mechanisms.

**FEATURES AT DRY END . . .** The dryer section has 53 paper and felt 60-in. dryers, hot press breaker stack and a size press and will carry up to

75 lbs. of steam pressure. The first section between the presses has one top return felt dryer. The second section has two Feeney dryers and one felt on top. The third section has a top felt and a Feeney dryer and the fourth is provided with a return felt dryer. Beloit supplied the felt whippers and wringers and a Mount Hope expander roll also serves the felt and is located in the open at the wet end.

Two sets of calender stacks also serve the machine, the first a seven-roll wet stack and the second, a nine-roll steam heated stack, both equipped with 20 in. top rolls, 16 in. intermediate and 34 in. bottom rolls.

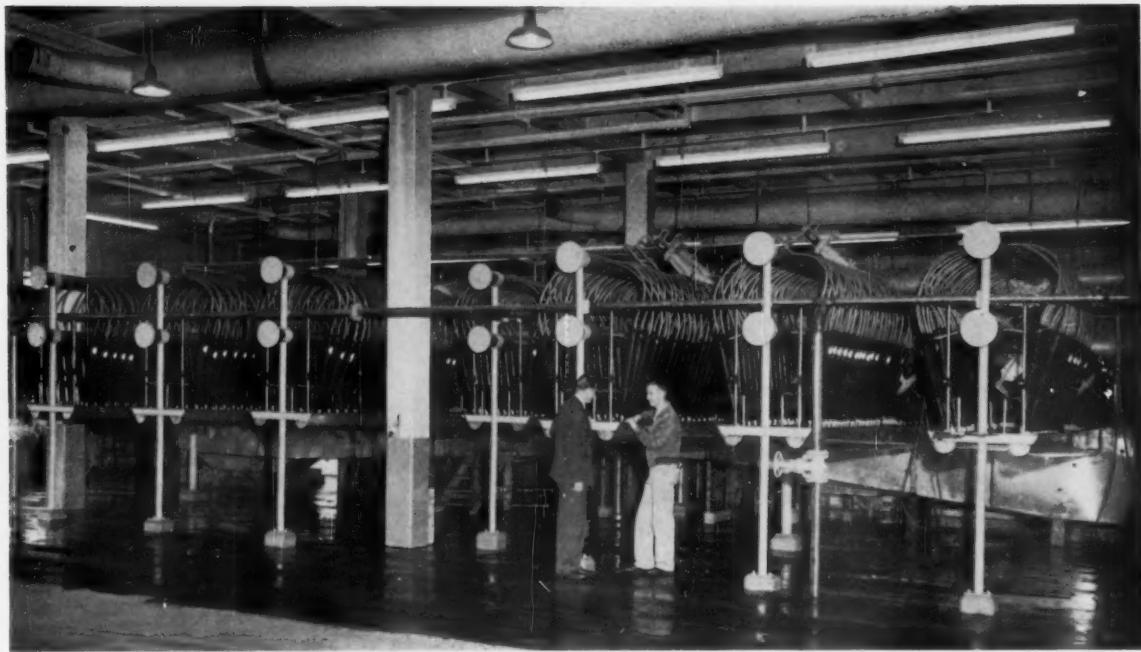
Roll stock board is wound on a reel and drum and then carried to a winder where it is rewound and slit to specification. Board sheet stock is fed through a duplex cutter which can cut two different length sheets and nine different widths. Edge trims are fed through an opening in the floor to a special repulper in the basement.

An extended E. D. Jones & Sons No. 4 Pulpmaster with a 200 hp Reliance motor and Falk gear reducer catches broke which is then pumped by either a 500 gpm Goulds pump to broke storage or by a 2600 gpm pump to an Impco vacuum saveall, 8 x 16 ft. with an underjet discharge.

Auxiliary on-machine equipment includes two Roots-Connersville vacuum pumps, one 5600 cfm at 22 in., the other for 6200 cfm at 10 in.; two mill compressors and two instrument compressors, and a Beloit special roll filter lubrication system. The machine is also served by a 40 ton, 57½ ft. electrically-operated Manning, Maxwell and Moore Load Lifter with two 20 ton trolleys.

A Link-Belt differential drive using a Worthington 450 hp remote controlled steam turbine in line with the drives, provides prime mover with Reliance helper motors on the wet end. The turbine receives steam from Mill No. 1 at 350 psi to permit pressure drops between it and the 400 psi generating point at the other end of the line.

**FINISHING IS SIMPLE . . .** The finished board can either be shipped in sheets or rolls. Rolls are carried by conveyor to a material elevator and taken to the basement for storage and shipment. Sheets are transported in lift trucks and pallets on the same elevator. The shipping platform, which runs adjacent to the rear of the mill in the basement, is directly adjacent to the railroad and is under an enclosed roof, permitting continuous loading of cars despite weather conditions.



**"A BIG CLEAN-UP JOB" . . .** Quality and capacity of sulfite pulp increases at Camas, Wash., mill of Crown Zellerbach with large 3-stage Bauer Centri-Cleaners. Note size in relation to Sulfite Supt. J. V. SAVAGE (left) and Foreman DEAN RITCHIEY. This is only a portion of system's 1,528 cleaners which average 370 tons daily.

## 1,528 Centri-Cleaners in Pulp Screen Room

• In modernizing the sulfite pulp cleaning operations at Crown Zellerbach Corp. Camas, Wash. mill, product quality was improved.

An exceptionally large battery of Bauer-Centri-Cleaners, a three-stage system consisting of 1,528 3-in. cleaners, was installed in the sulfite screen room. It replaced an entire group of riffles in a third-floor area.

According to Sulfite Supt. Jack V. Savage, the Centri-Cleaners improve pulp quality by more effectively removing dirt and remove enough dark-colored ray cells to generally increase brightness of the unbleached stock. The system, which handles this large specialty mill's 370-ton daily average of sulfite pulp, has greater capacity than did the riffles.

The installation was designed for wide flexibility. It can operate as one large unit or as two separate three-stage components. The size of each of these sections can be varied extensively within capacity limits of the whole. Except for this variability, the installation might better be considered as two interconnected systems.

Normal operation calls for running "hard" pulp on one side and "soft"

pulp on the other. When running just one type of pulp, the whole cleaner installation functions as a single system.

**FLOW OF STOCK THROUGH SYSTEM . . .** Stock from 9 lines of flat screens, located on the second floor of the screening building, is transported to the Centri-Cleaners on the next higher floor level by two sets of deepwell type pumps, each set consisting of two pumps. One pump set delivers stock to one side of the cleaner system and one set to the other side.

These second-floor pumps are driven by motors located on the third floor, the respective motor-pump units interconnected by drive shafts mounted in the vertical-flow stock lines. One set consists of 7000 gpm capacity pumps driven by 350 hp, 1250 rpm, 2300-volt induction motors; the other set, 5,000 gpm, driven by 250 hp motors of same voltage, speed and type. All are of 170-ft. head.

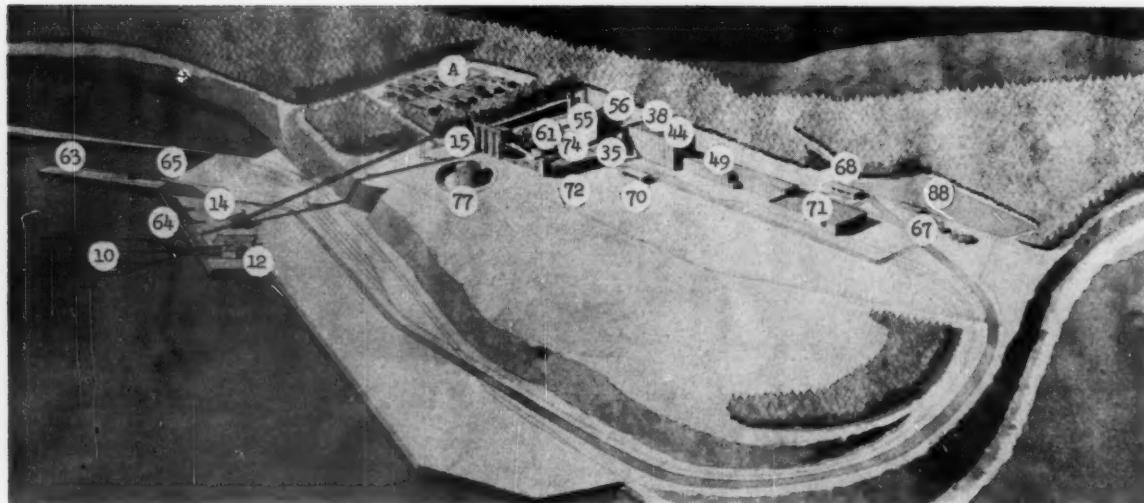
The primary cleaner component, consisting of 1282 centrifugal units, receives all accepted stock coming from the screens. Accepts from pri-

mary cleaner section go directly to the deckers. The rejects are pumped to the 198-unit secondary cleaner section. Accepts from here go either to the deckers or back to the flat screens. Secondary rejects are pumped to the 48-unit tertiary section, from which accepts return to flat screens and rejects are diverted to a reject reclaiming system.

Stock flows throughout these installations via No. 304 stainless steel piping, manifolds and distribution troughs.

Cleaned sulfite from the Centri-Cleaners can go to the bleach plant, or to machines for conversion into unbleached papers, or to pulp dryer to be made into market pulp.

A centrally located control panel provides for controlling various phases of this entire cleaner system. Panel adjustments and controls provide for operation at specified pump-ump levels, predetermined pressure at supply header to primary cleaner, selecting the desired number of cleaners per section, switching controls for all the pumps, and ammeters connecting with motors of the vertical pumps to indicate stock volume flow.



A. Construction camp  
10. Booming ground  
12. Woodroom  
14. Chip screen building  
15. Chip silos  
35. Blow slab & digester bldg.

38-44. Pulping group  
49. Machine room  
55. Recovery building  
56. Boiler house  
61. Recausticizing

63. Deep sea dock  
64. Scow dock  
65. Car ferry slip  
67. Main office  
68. Personnel service bldg.

70. Laboratory  
71. Warehouse  
72. Raw material warehouse  
74. Repair shops  
77. Fuel storage  
88. Parking area

NEW MARKET BLEACHED SULFATE PULP MILL being built by B. C. Forest Products, Ltd., at Crofton, B.C.

## Preview of a New Market Pulp Mill

**B. C. Forest Products Ltd.'s complete processing plans, including details of machine and bleaching, are revealed**

● In a quiet bay on the east coast of Vancouver Island which years ago echoed with the clamor of a copper smelter, British Columbia Forest Products, Ltd., is building a \$36,000,000 425-ton market bleached sulfate pulp mill which is expected to be in production by the fall of 1957.

The site is Crofton, in British Columbia's fabulously rich Cowichan timber area that for more than 70 years has supplied the raw material for sawmills and which is now playing an important role in pulpwood supply.

B.C. Forest Products, Ltd., however, has several different sources of pulpwood because it has been in the lumber business for a decade, operates four sawmills and a plywood plant, and recently acquired forest management licenses covering an extensive tract of timber on the west coast of Vancouver Island.

**SOME HISTORY . . .** For B.C. Forest Products, entry into the pulp field is an entirely new venture, as its activity in the past has been confined to lumber and plywood production. Headed by E. P. Taylor of Toronto,

one of Canada's outstanding industrial leaders with an interest in many of the nation's largest corporations (including St. Lawrence Corp., Howard Smith Paper Mills, Price Bros. & Co.), B.C. Forest Products is actively directed at Vancouver head office by President H.G. Munro, Vice President in charge of pulp is W. W. Holland, who joined the company soon after the decision was made to enter the pulp field. Pulp mill manager is J. R. W. Grieve, formerly of Brown Corp. at La Tuque, Que., recently acquired by Canadian International Paper Co. Technical director is D. R. Baker, formerly technical supervisor for the Harmac bleached sulfate pulp mill at Harmac, B.C.

**WILL USE WASTE WOOD . . .** The pulp mill is designed to operate on sawmill wastewood chips, logging salvage, hemlock pulp logs, and also pulp logs from small operations and woodlots in the area tributary to the mill. It is expected that three major coast species—hemlock, Douglas fir and red cedar—will be the predominant furnish to the mill.

The mill is being engineered by H. A. Simons Ltd., Vancouver, B.C. The site will cover approximately 50 acres, and the buildings will be erected on spread footings on a glacial till formation that has been carefully investigated for load bearing. The mill area is on a bench about 70 ft. above sea level, and will be serviced by a deepsea dock, car ferry, bargeslip and a scow dock.

Raw materials will be received by barge, deepsea vessel, railway car and truck. Sawmill chips will be handled in part by 80,000 cu. ft. barges, unloaded at the scow dock by a hammerhead crane, and conveyed to chip silos. They will also be trucked in 2,000 to 3,000 cu. ft. trailer and two-unit trucks and unloaded to a blower system for delivery to the chip silos. Provision is being made to handle chips received by railway car in the same equipment. The balance of the chip supply will be received as logs.

Waste from the company's sawmills, plywood and veneer mills, plus hemlock pulp logs and logging salvage from the company logging operations, will supply the bulk of the chips.

Water to supply the mill at the initial rate of 35,000,000 gal. per day will be pumped from the Cowichan River near Duncan through a 10-mile 48 in. buried concrete steel pipe line. The entire flow will be processed in a combined flocculation-sandfiller plant supplied by Northwest Filter Co.

**WOOD PROCESSING . . .** Logs will be barked in a 60 in. Sumner Iron Works Bellingham-type barker, handled by conventional log deck machinery, to a 112 in. disc whole-log Hansel horizontal feed chipper. Over-size logs will be broken down into cants in a no-man carriage bandmill. Chips will be screened on four Orville Simpson Rotex Screens and conveyed to one of five chip storage silos of 80,000 cu. ft. capacity. Species can be segregated in the chip silos. Bark waste will be hogged in a hammerhog for burning in the steam boilers. Scow borne chips will be unloaded by a Colby hammerhead crane with a 5 cu. yd. bucket, and also conveyed to the chip silos.

The seven digesters of 6,100 cu. ft. capacity are being built by Dominion Engineering Co. of Lukens A-285 Grade B firebox steel with  $\frac{3}{8}$  in. corrosion allowance for 150 psig operation.

**PULP MILL EQUIPMENT—AND RECOVERY . . .** Digesters are equipped with Esco type 304 stainless steel strainers and heaters, Bingham circulating pumps, sized to obtain an initial liquor turnover in about 8 minutes. Yarway blow valves, with automatic lubrication, blow the stock to a cone bottom blow tank. The blow tank is equipped with liquor dilution consistency control, and stock is pumped through a flow meter and butterfly control valve to a battery of five Jonsson knotters (CIR), and to the Impco (Sherbrooke Machineries) 11½ ft. x 20 ft. brown stock washers arranged 3 drums in series. A blowheat recovery system is to be installed.

A six effect evaporator will be furnished by Chicago Bridge & Iron, for evaporation rate of 356,000 lbs/hr and an economy of 4.95 lbs. per lb. of steam at 40 psig. Stainless tubes are used in the first effect, and the first and second effect vapor heads are stainless clad.

Liquor is burned in a Combustion Engineering recovery boiler rated at 1,600,000 lbs. of dry black liquor solids per day, generating steam at 625 psi and 750° F. It is the straight through type tube design, with platen superheater and screen tubes, and necessary fixed and retractable steam soot blowers. Two Cascade evaporators arranged for series liquor flow, a forced draft fan at 100,000 cfm and induced

draft fan at 220,000 cfm complete the main auxiliaries, with combustion controls by Bailey Meter.

The precipitator is furnished by Koppers Co., and is built as a twin unit with three sections on each side, and has a capacity of 225,000 cfm at 95-98% efficiency. Rectifiers are electronic, with automatic voltage control. A drag chain conveyer scrapes ash off the flat steel bottom to a screw conveyer, which discharges to a mixing tank. The shell of the unit is of hollow tile construction. The two steam boilers are by Foster Wheeler, rated at 200,000 lbs/hr of steam at 625 psi and 750° F on straight oil, and designed to burn mixed oil and hog fuel, or straight hog fuel, using a pneumatic stoker. Both boilers and the recovery boiler exhaust to a common stack 250 ft. high.

Green liquor from the dissolving tank is causticized in a standard Dorr-Oliver plant. The slaker is a No. 10 unit with stainless impeller and stainless tank liner; the three causticizers are 15 x 10 ft. high; the green liquor clarifier is a single compartment 40 ft. x 15 ft. deep unit; the white liquor clarifier is a four-tray parallel flow 35 ft. x 25 ft. deep unit; the mud washer is four-tray, two-stage, 35 ft. x 25 ft. deep. Lime mud is washed on a 6 ft. x 10 ft. Dorr Oliver washer, and burned in a 250 ft. long kiln.

The principal innovation in the liquor cycle is an installation of black liquor oxidation towers, developed by the British Columbia Research Council in cooperation with MacMillan & Bloedel, Alberni Pulp Division—and other contributing companies. It is expected that this unit will materially reduce the odor nuisance, increase the sulfidity level and reduce corrosion in evaporators. The towers will be located between brown stock washers and the evaporators.

Washed brown stock is to be stored in three 40-ton tile lined high density storage towers, with dilution and discharge equipment by Sherbrooke Machineries (Impco) of the newer type mining nozzle and propeller agitator design. The stock will flow through consistency and flow controllers to a mixing tank and to three secondary Cowan screens. Tailings will be refined in a Sprout-Waldron #36-2 single disc refiner, rescreened, and all secondary accepts pumped through five Bauer Centri-Cleaners. Screened stock will be thickened on a Sherbrooke Machineries Decker-Rewasher.

**6 STAGES OF BLEACHING . . .** The screened stock will be bleached in six stages to about 89-90 brightness, using a combination of chlorination, caustic extraction hypochlorite and chlorine dioxide in a conventional se-

quence. The towers will be outside the bleachery, and the low density upflow tower will be Kamyr design. The downflow high density towers will be fed by upflow 180° return bend plug pipes and Impco thick stock pumps, with Kamyr tower agitators. The chlorine dioxide towers will be upward flow Kamyr design, fed by Impco thick stock pumps through a Kamyr mixer agitator into the base of the tower. Kamyr equipment is supplied by Paper Machinery Ltd., and Impco by Sherbrooke.

Chlorine dioxide will be manufactured in Mathieson type generators from sulfuric acid, sodium chlorate and sulfur dioxide. Hypochlorite will be prepared from chlorine and lime in a continuous system.

Bleached stock from the final washer will be stored in three high density tile lined towers similar to the brownstock towers. The stock will be pumped to two primary Cowan screens and one secondary screen. Accepted stock will be pumped through a battery of 1,005 #600 series Bauer Centri-Cleaners, and thickened on a 11½ x 20 ft. face Sherbrooke valveless decker of stainless 304 storage-blending tank, then to a flow-box, and to machine.

**THE MACHINE . . .** The drying machine is by Dominion Engineering Ltd., and consists of a 97 ft. x 178 in. Fourdrinier wire, with stainless steel headbox. There are five flatboxes, two hot water weir showers, one dandy roll and an Evans Rotabelt ahead of the suction couch.

The press section consists of suction first and second, and plain third press, all with bronze top rolls, rubber covered bottom rolls, and designed for 500, 500 and 1,500 ppi nip pressures respectively. A predryer is installed between the second and third press. Vickery felt conditioners, and a basis weight recorder-controller after the third press, complete the wetend. The dryer is a Minton vacuum design, consisting of 68 only 60 x 174 in. face dryer cylinders, and divided into two sections, with two top and two bottom felts. The machine as a whole is designed to operate at 550 fpm with 174 in. trim, drying from 43% to 100% AD at a daily rate of 500 tons. It will have a Harland sectional drive.

The sheet is to be slit and cut in a Lamb-Grays Harbor cutter and layboy, made up into 500 lb. bales, and baled in two Washington Iron Works 1,000 ton baling presses.

The mill electrical system is generally General Electric. Mill instrumentation is generally Foxboro, with Bailey on combustion and boiler instruments.



**NEW NIGHT PICTURE BY PULP & PAPER.** Bowaters \$60 million newsprint mill on Hiawassee River is headquarters for vast activity in South which will now include a new pulp mill. PULP & PAPER's night photo of mill shows part of underwater log storage pond at right.

## That Bowaters Giant Keeps Growing

**Hardwood mill, other major changes underway or complete; new Southern pulp mill and No. 4 machine forthcoming**

● When you drive through the tiny crossroads that is Calhoun, Tenn., the sound of progress strikes the ear like the crack of rifles on the opening day of hunting season. Progress is a thing you hear as well as see—it is riveters and pneumatic hammers ringing off steel girders and the thud of straining giant cranes. At Calhoun this is a familiar sound. It should be, for it has hardly stopped a day since the first girder of Sir Eric Bowater's gleaming new addition to his paper empire was put into place three years ago.

The mortar was hardly dry between the bricks before the face of the new mill was undergoing surgery. To sometimes harried newsmen trying to keep abreast of everyday changes in the growth industry, Bowaters is typical of a dizzying task.

Returning from a recent trip to Calhoun, armed with new data on the mill, a PULP & PAPER editor was somewhat staggered to pick up the evening paper and read that Sir Eric, returning to England from an American tour, had paused at the dock long enough to announce an additional Beloit newsprint machine (No. 4) was forthcoming at the Calhoun mill. The foundation had not even been completed for No. 3 newsprint machine—focal point of present expansion at Bowaters Southern.

**A NEW PULP MILL . . .** This news was hardly cold before the announcement that a new pulp mill to supply

Bowaters' mills all over the world was to be built at Catawba, S.C., a location which will put Bowaters in pulpwood competition with International Paper's Georgetown mill, West Virginia's Charleston mill and perhaps even Rome Kraft and Macon Kraft, which now derive pulpwood from that area. West Virginia has 20 concentration yards scattered throughout the state, some of them practically at the back door of the new Bowaters enterprise. (See "No Lost Cords at West Virginia," PULP & PAPER, May 1956.)

Already a leading force in the Southern industry, Bowaters has been developing its Calhoun mill steadily since it began turning out newsprint in the summer of 1954 at the rate of 360 tons every 24 hours. Here is an exclusive, up-to-date report by PULP & PAPER on the Calhoun mill as it is today.

**PRODUCTION BOOMS, CHANGES ORDERED . . .** First indications that changes were in order at Bowaters were apparent shortly after production began and the paper machines, designed for 2,000 fpm, were brought up to speed sooner than anticipated. Designed to produce 130,000 tons a year on its first two machines, its production was up to 160,000 tons shortly after operations began. Both machines have reportedly maintained speeds well in excess of the designed speed of 2,000 fpm. With production

on the increase several changes were in order and new equipment was necessary, in order to smooth out operations, reduce lost time, facilitate maintenance, remove bottlenecks and improve pulp quality.

**BIG EXPANSION BEGINS . . .** In Jan. 1955, less than a year after the \$60 million mill was completed, Sir Eric announced that a million-and-a-half dollar expansion program would begin almost immediately. By May, this appropriation had been increased to \$30 million. Chief interest centered around news that a new 276-in. newsprint machine would be installed (No. 3) capable of speeds up to 2,500 fpm. This machine was under construction at Beloit Iron Works and would boost tonnage to 300,000 tons a year.

No. 4 newsprint machine will increase production to 400,000 tons. The new machine will probably add upwards of 150 persons to the payroll and increase pulpwood use to 1,400 cords a day.

**HOW THINGS HAVE CHANGED . . .** To meet added stress of increased production, new facilities were added all along the way: in wood handling, washing and screening, the grinding room, stock preparation and paper mill. A fourth tile chip silo was provided with Link-Belt discharger. Brown stock washing capacity was increased and the degree of washing

improved by the addition of a fourth stage Impco washer, along with the necessary filtrate tanks and pumps. With addition of the washer, a sixth stainless steel clad digester was installed, designed to increase sulfate production by 30 tons a day. This necessitated a means for providing greater stock reserve between the sulfate and paper mills, so a high density bleach storage chest with Impco agitation system was added to accommodate about 50 tons of stock at 12% consistency.

A knot refining system using Sprout-Waldron refiners and Bauer Bros. stock cleaning equipment was added as well as auxiliary liquor storage tanks. Some 15 Stebbins tile chests with Shartle Bros. agitation systems provided with Falk drives are also being installed to handle stock.

**ONE OF THE LARGEST GRINDERS . . .** This chain reaction spread into the groundwood mill, where a ninth Waterous-Great Northern grinder with giant Norton stone was installed. The grinder, one of the largest of its kind in the world, is driven by a 6,000 hp synchronous motor. Five more are being erected at present. A white water cooling system was also installed.

To serve Nos. 1 and 2 machines, two more Impco deckers were added to the six already in use and four additional deckers are now being put in place to serve No. 3 machine. The need for more groundwood storage was met with a tile chest of 64 ton capacity at 3½% consistency and a tile stock blending chest with 4.6 tons capacity at 3½%. Broke storage was increased by the construction of two 17-ton tile chests.

Also installed were two Bird screens, a steam jet refrigeration unit for supplying cold water to sweat dryers on the paper machine and an 18-ft. Shartle Bros. hydropulper.

In line with extensive instrumentation found at Bowaters, necessary panels were put in place to operate the additional equipment. Among the new instruments are a Beckman pH control meter to help subdue pitch through the continuous monitoring and control of pH in the pulp stock.

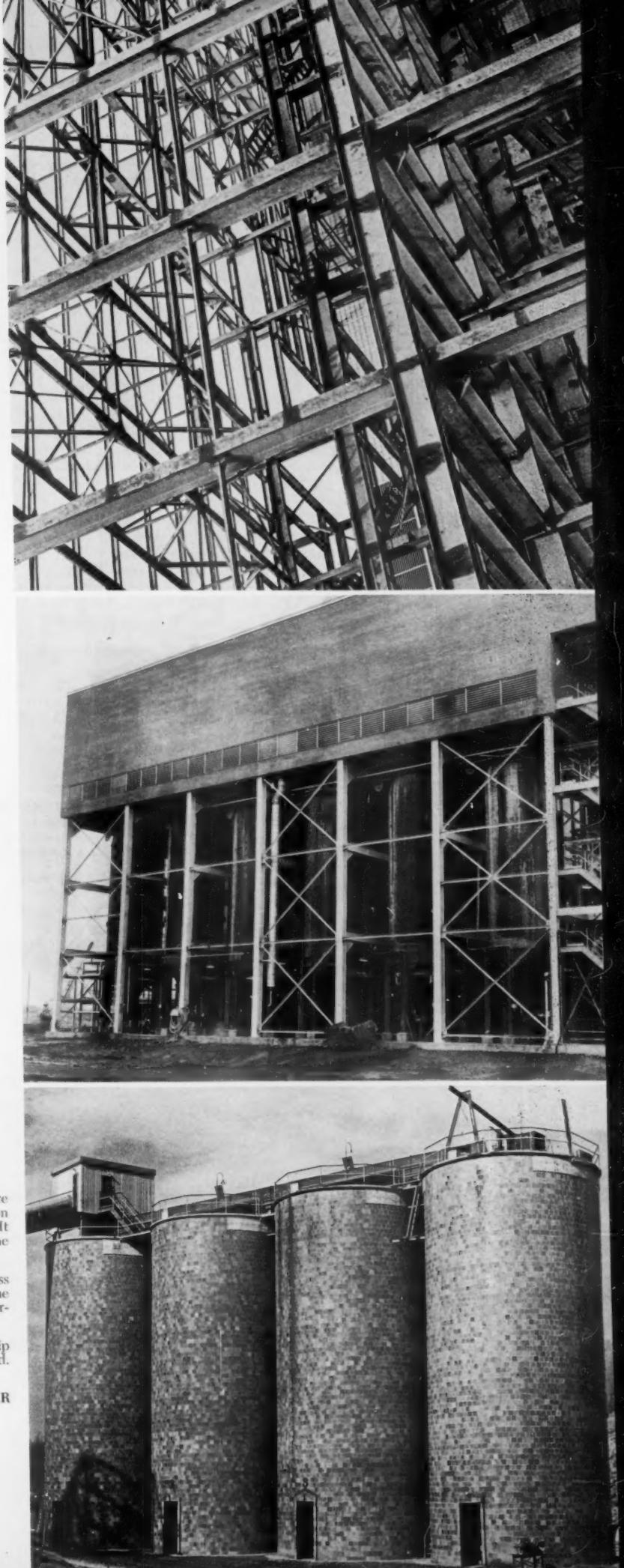
**STEEL CROSSWORD PUZZLE** (top) dwarfs two men who are lost in a maze of girders at center of picture. This big skeleton will eventually house No. 3 machine and probably No. 4. It contains 6 million cu. ft. and is in front of present machine room.

**AND YET ANOTHER DIGESTER** (middle). Sixth stainless steel clad 30-ton Wyatt digester is now in place (at extreme left of picture) and ready for action. Equipped with 8-in. Yarway blow valve, it will boost production by about 17%.

**MORE ROOM FOR CHIPS** (bottom) is provided with chip silo No. 4, at right, shown here soon after it was completed. Stebbins silo has Link-Belt conveyor.

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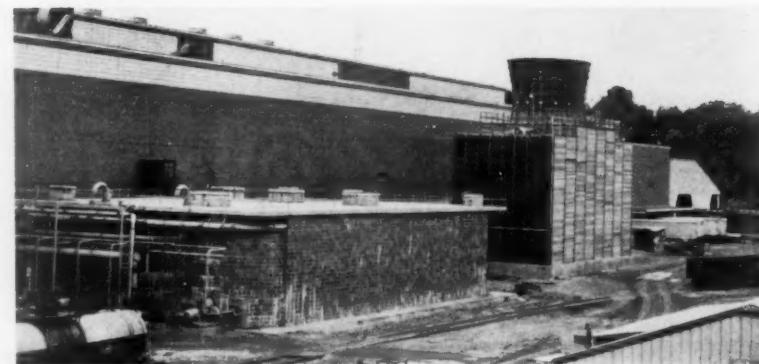
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solution, and a Foxboro magnetic flow transmitter.

**THINGS TO COME . . .** Present electrical demand at Calhoun is 52,000 kw but with the new machine the power demand will be increased to about 78,000 kw. The additional 25,000 kw will be generated from a Westinghouse 25,000 kw turbine with a 32,000 kva hydrogen-cooled generator. A 653,000 cu. ft. addition to the power house will provide space for the turbo-generator and a new Babcock & Wilcox boiler designed to produce 350,000 lbs. of steam per hour at 850 psig and 900° f.t.t. Oil storage was boosted by construction of a 1,440,000 gal. tank.

**HARDWOOD TREND CATCHES ON . . .** Current trend in the South to utilize hardwoods has also found a home at Bowaters. In addition to other improvements, Sir Eric has announced construction of a new fibreboard mill at Calhoun, to be built



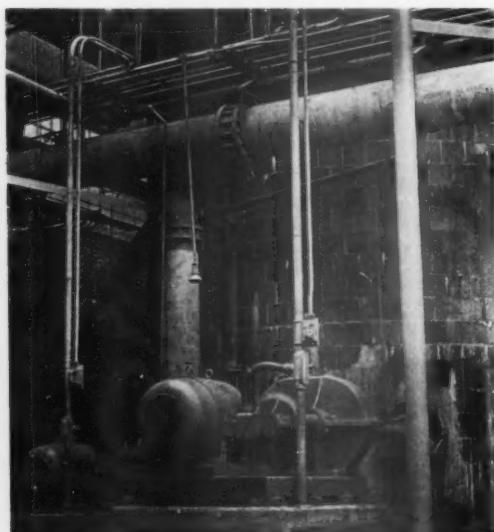
**MORE GROUNDWOOD AND BROKE STORAGE** space was provided with these Stebbins chests. Behind them is 7,000 gal. a min. Marley cooling tower for reclaiming and recirculating fresh water. Mill is at rear.

adjacent to the mill. The proposed mill will have a production capacity of about 120 million sq. ft. of board a year. Decision to build this mill resulted from a market survey which showed that there is a shortage and steadily growing demand for fibre-

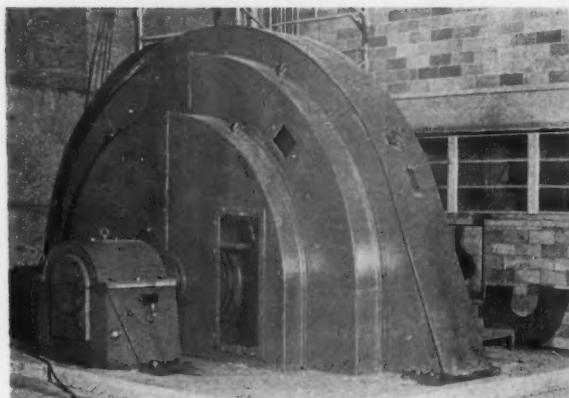
board throughout the U. S. A pilot plant is currently in operation at Coos Bay, Ore., mill and samples of Tennessee hardwoods have been sent to England for testing.

Bowaters is not alone—the "hardwood trend" is spreading throughout the southern industry. One leader recently called it "the most significant move made in the South in years." It has been estimated that consumption of this product will treble during the next 20 years. (There are only 11 fibreboard mills east of the Rockies and none in the states directly north, east and west of Tennessee.)

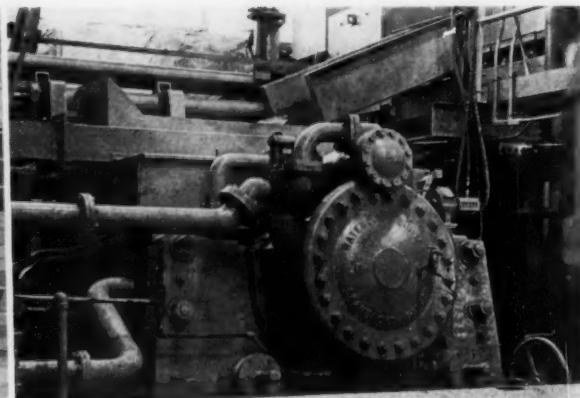
With completion of the multi-million dollar hardboard mill and the current expansion, Bowaters' Tennessee assets will total some \$100 million. Already rated as the largest newsprint mill in the South, Bowaters is obviously moving toward making its Tennessee plant one of the largest in the world. When the fourth machine is in operation, the mill should be producing more newsprint than Bowaters' present 310,000 tons a year mill at Corner Brook, Newfoundland, now rated as its biggest.

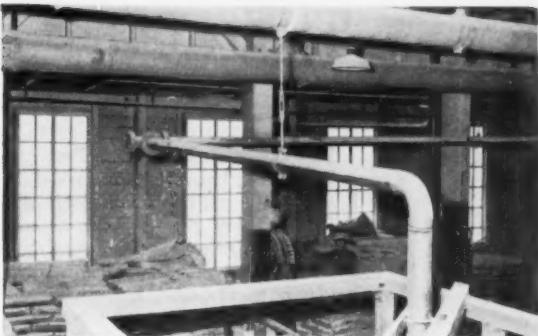


**CLOSEUP OF CHESTS** shows Reliance motors which drive Shartle Bros. agitators in new chests. Falk drive is used with 60 hp motor.



**THIS GIANT DRIVE** (left) is 12-ft. 6,000 hp synchronous Electric Machinery Co. motor, believed to be the largest of its type in the world. It is one of six new motors used to drive new Waterous-Great Northern grinders (right). Six new grinders are also being installed, one of which is already in operation.



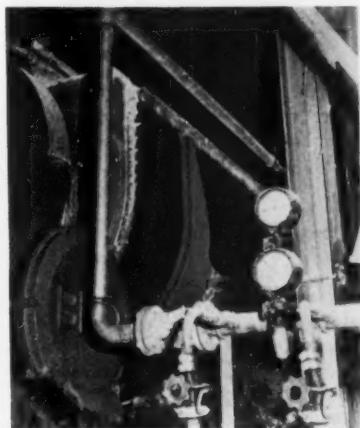


**PROVISION FOR FUTURE LINE** in from the left is made at Simpson Paper Co. at flanged closed end of conventional-type tee. Note light supports suspended from steam pipe.

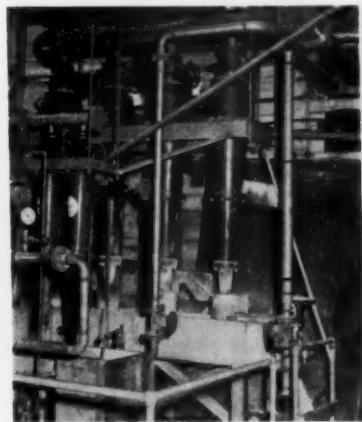


**CONCENTRIC REDUCERS**, insert flanges and 45° elbows of Schedule 5 stainless installation are pointed out by FRED HATCH, Head Pipefitter at Simpson Paper Co.

## How Light Specialty Pipe is Used in West



**HOW SCHEDULE 5 SPEEDLINE** fittings and stainless pipe have been installed atop Bauer Centri-Cleaners ahead of Simpson's No. 3 paper machine. Joints are easily welded.



**SIX BAUER CENTRI-CLEANERS** ahead of the No. 2 machine at Simpson make extensive use of Speedline Schedule 5 stainless fittings. Note variety of sizes and types of fittings and Speedline insert flanges.

- Improved flow conditions and cheaper and faster installation are benefits derived from use of light-wall Schedule 5 stainless steel pipe and Speedline fittings in place of conventional threaded steel.

At Simpson Paper Co. pulp and paper mill in Everett, Washington, where a wide variety of book, school and other papers are manufactured, this combination of pipe and fittings, in addition to the use mentioned above, has been employed in new coating lines and in two recent Bauer Centri-Cleaner installations.

In the case of the coating lines, which lead from the mixing area, the combination of light-wall pipe and Speedline fittings permits a very simple overhead arrangement, with a minimum of supports. The tangential feature (i.e., the extra straight length) of the fittings permitted the type of joint to be selected on the job to meet existing conditions. Where a flanged tee is used on one 90° turn, the closed end of the tee furnishes an excellent cleanout facility.

Installation of the largest Bauer Centri-Cleaner required a variety of Speedline fittings. The tangential feature of these formed fittings made installation of the ell, tees and reducers easier because the extra straight section provided on every fitting allowed more clearance for welding and permitted welding to be done at a point away from the change of direction of flow.

The Speedline insert flange consisting of a carbon steel flange and stainless insert can be attached to Schedule 5 pipe or Speedline fittings without welding by using standard expanding principle. This permits easy attachment of Schedule 5 pipe and fittings to standard flanged valves and equipment.

The head of pipefitting work at Simpson Paper Co., Fred Hatch, who has been at this mill 31 years and is retiring Sept. 1, told PULP & PAPER how Schedule 5 piping and fittings have worked out. From the pipefitter's standpoint, the ease of installation is important. The light-wall piping can be welded rapidly. Its resistance to corrosion means fewer replacements in service and reduced maintenance.

Speedline fittings are manufactured by Horace T. Potts Co., Philadelphia.

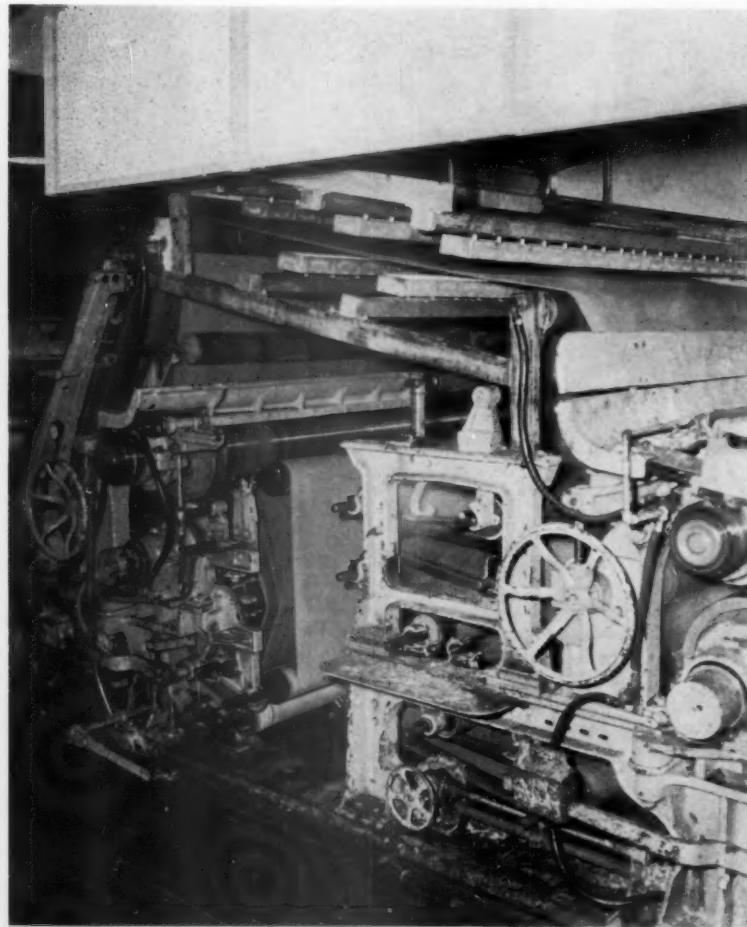
### \$15 Million a Year Is What Paper Mill means to Community

What does a pulp and paper mill mean to the average community? Brunswick Pulp & Paper Co. last month came up with clever way of putting the answer.

"Pine Chips," the company's monthly magazine, published a chart showing just exactly what the company contributes to the community per day and year.

Brunswick's figures show that the mill spends \$10,288 a day for pulpwood (\$3,744,994 a year), \$9,158 a day for salaries and wages (\$3,333,668 a year), \$6,738 a day for fixed costs (\$2,452,789 a year), \$5,860 per day for repair materials and supplies (\$2,133,065 a year), \$4,340 a day for essential chemicals (\$1,579,786 annually), \$3,677 a day for trucking and freight (\$1,338,476 a year), \$744 a day for administrative and general costs (\$270,644 annually) and \$530 a day for taxes, not counting federal income tax (\$193,077 a year).

That's almost \$15 million a year that one mill adds to the economy of one area.



## Boosts Board Production

Fibreboard Products Inc., Port Angeles, Wash., has installed a new Red Ray propane gas burner to obtain additional drying capacity on certain grades of board on the No. 1 machine, a 102-in. Downingtown. For such grades as meat board, hard-sized sulfite board and gypsum, an increase in production of 4% has resulted.

The burner is mounted in a water-cooled frame between the third and fourth press rolls. Gas is shot right onto the moving sheet. Controls are in accordance with insurance requirements. Each burner is mounted by electronic safety device. In case of a broken sheet, or slower than normal machine speed, the burners are immediately cut off by the automatic controls.

The burner consists of five separate elements, three above and two below. Sufficient drying has been obtained by use of only four of the five. Enough moisture is removed by the first burner to produce a visible fog. By the time the sheet enters the dryer proper, moisture content has been reduced by several per cent and temperature of the sheet has increased considerably. This results in reduced sticking on first dryer and better efficiency at the press rolls.

An extended hood was built to obtain increased ventilation necessary to remove the additional vapor.

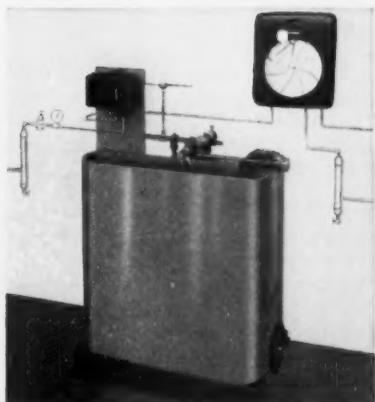
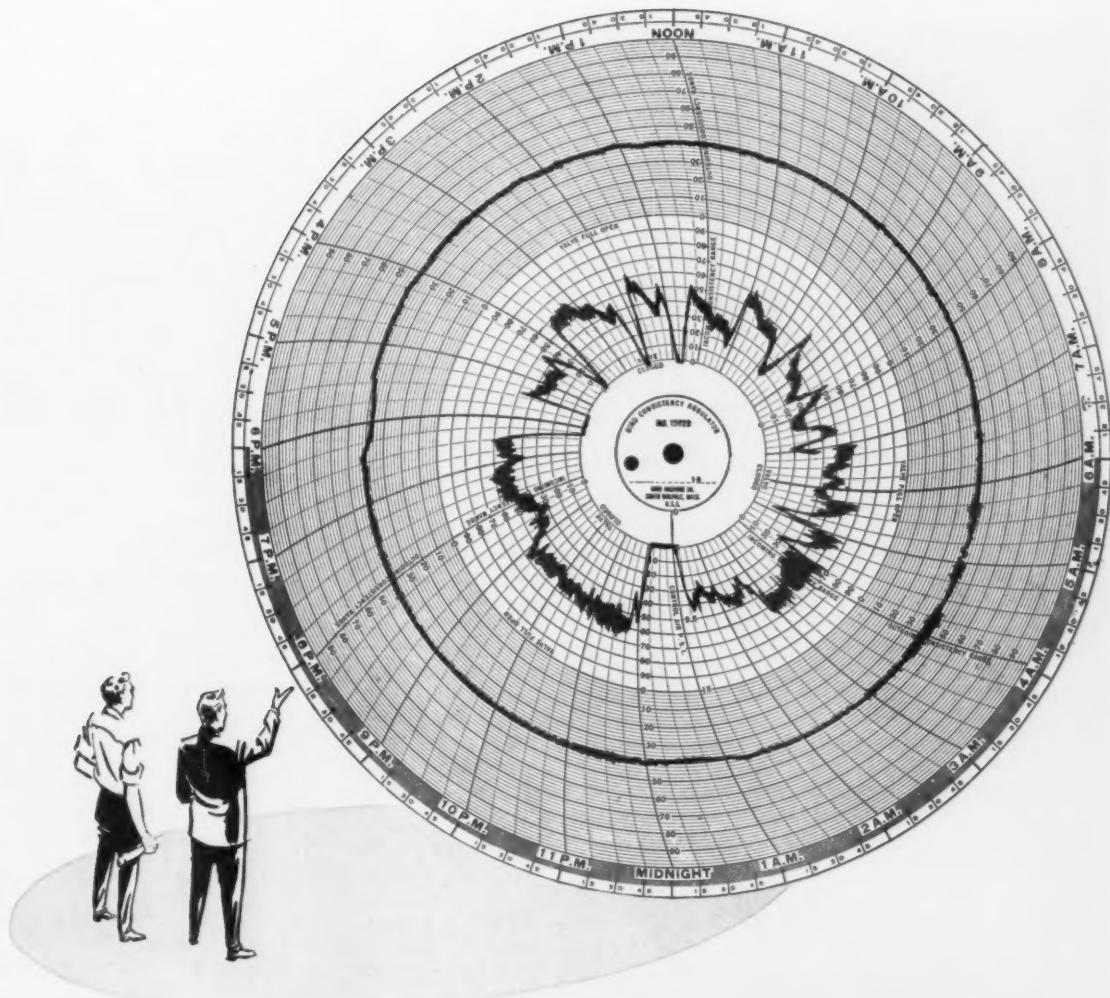
The gas supply tank is located outside the machine room where it is conveniently filled by tank truck.

Resident Manager Vern Basom and Board Mill Supt. Charles Meagher say this installation can be used for any of their grades where more drying capacity is needed.

There are a number of gas burner application in press sections of paper machines on the Pacific Coast, due mainly to availability of natural gas in that area.

**PROPANE GAS BURNER BETWEEN 3rd AND 4th PRESS ROLLS** . . . Red Ray gas burner on No. 2 Machine at Fibreboard Mill (top view). Note extended hood above for additional ventilation. Five separate lateral heating elements, three above and two below, remove sufficient moisture to raise production on certain grades up to 4%. Note heavy sheet metal frame for burners, which is water-cooled.

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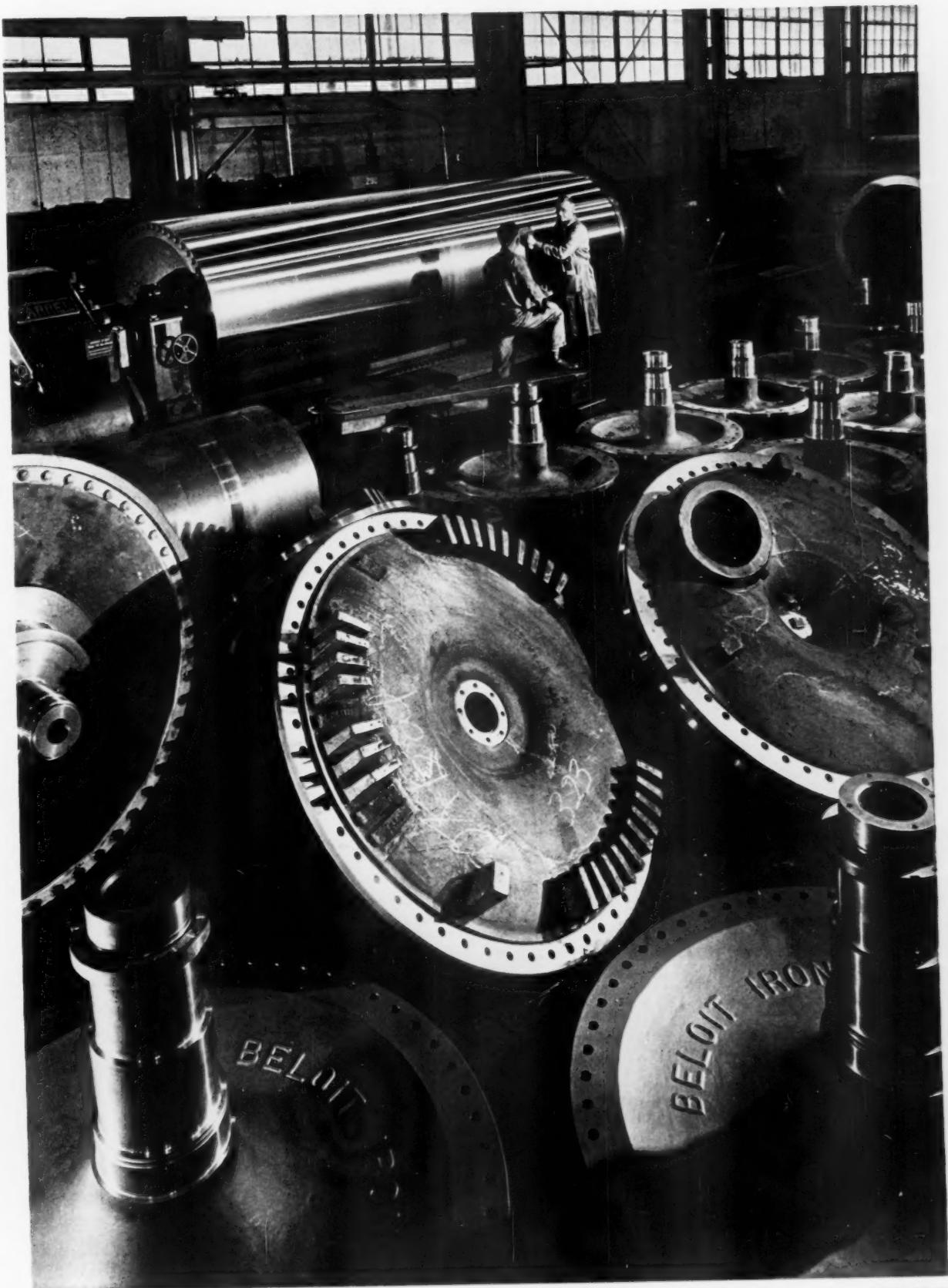
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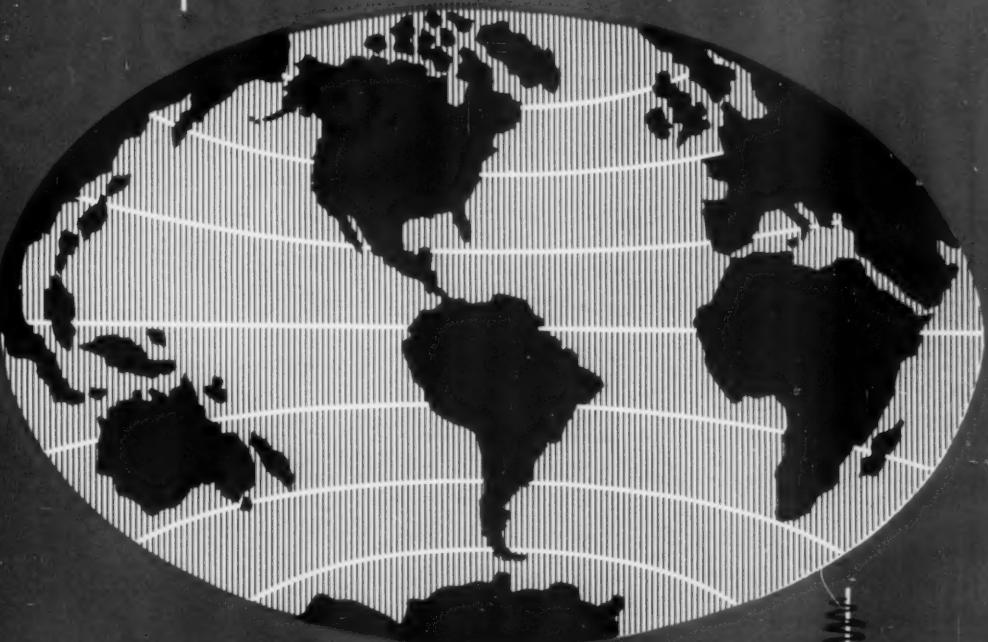
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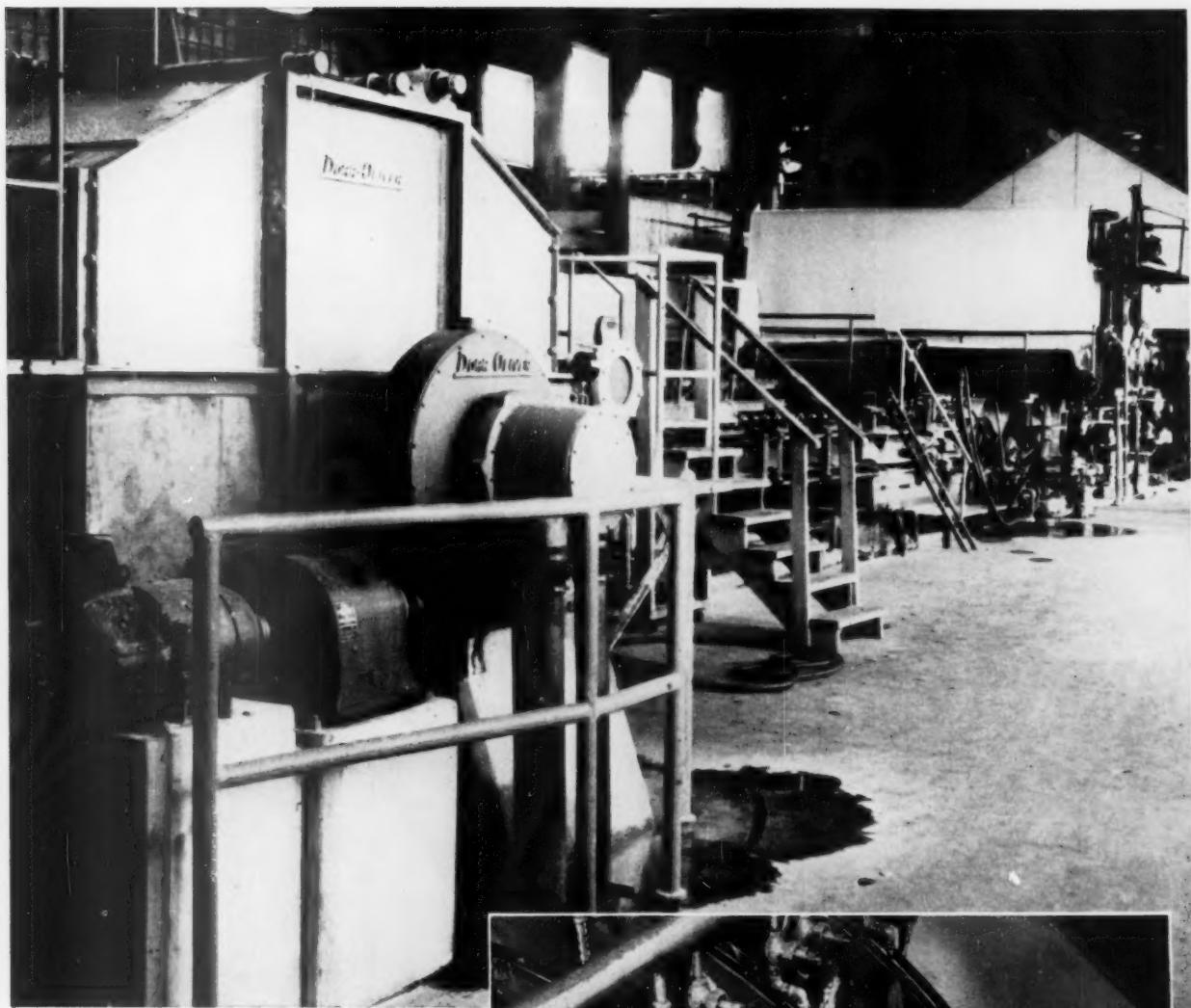


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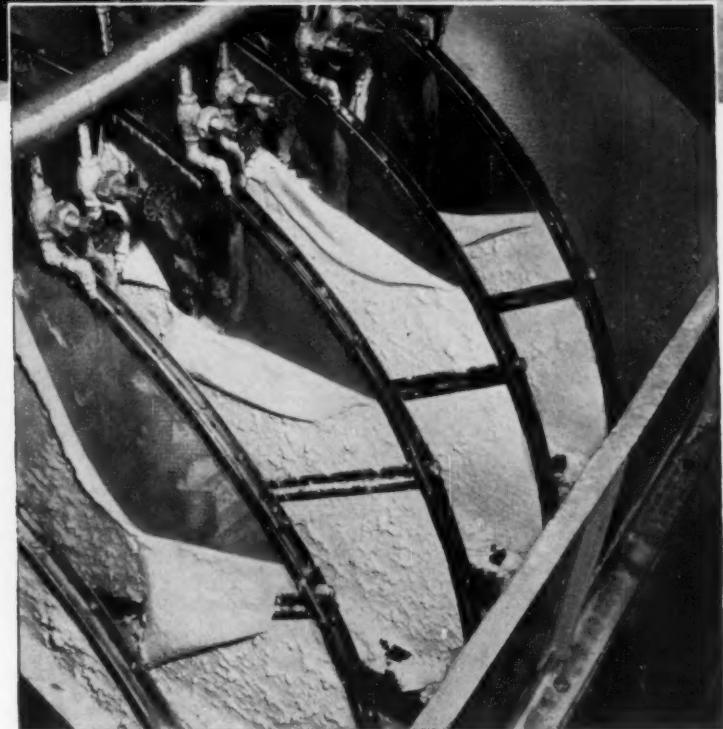
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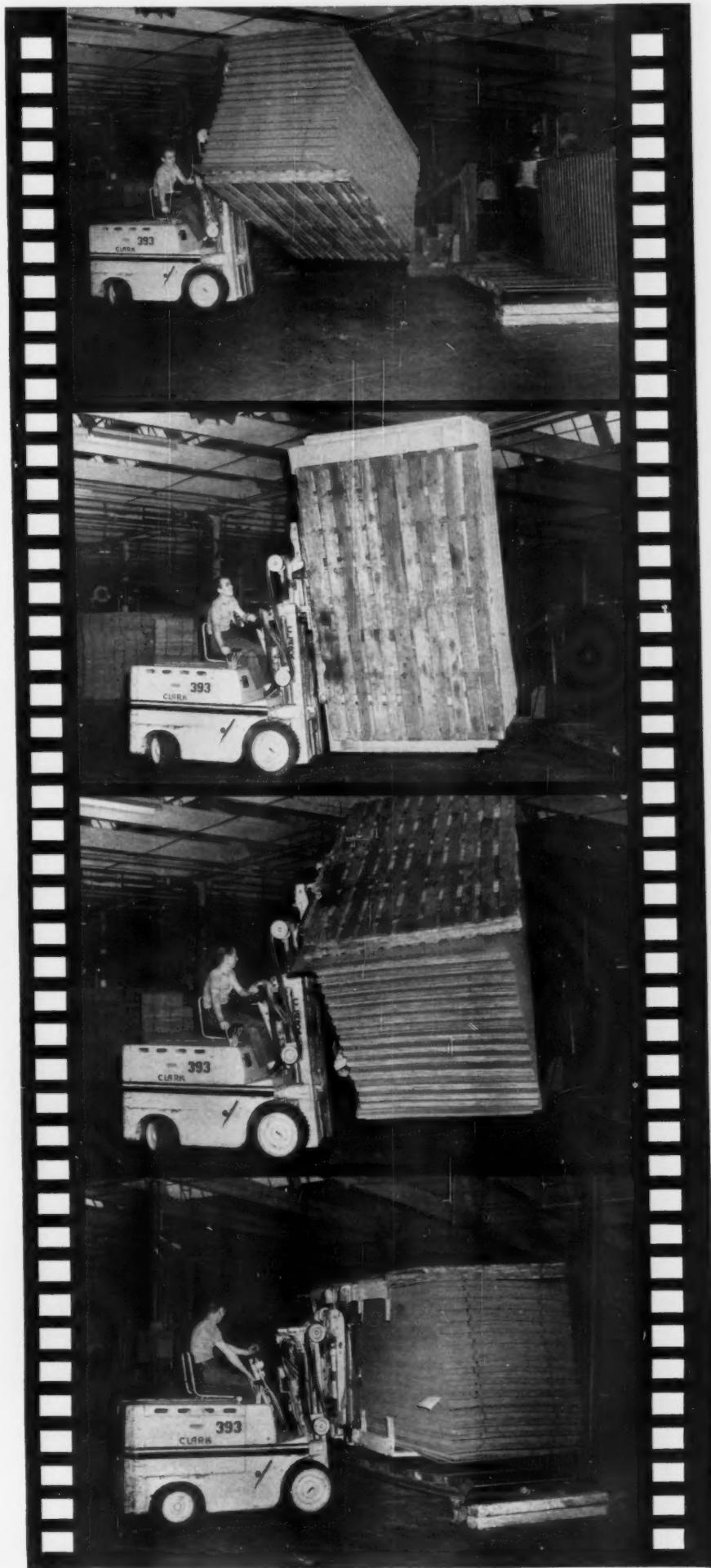
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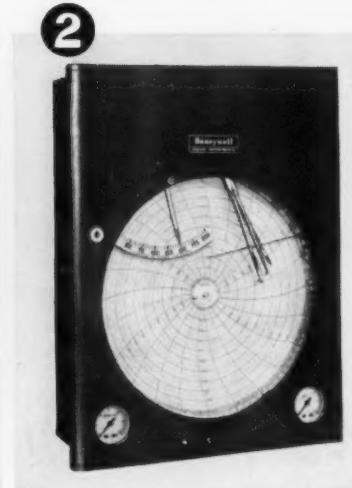
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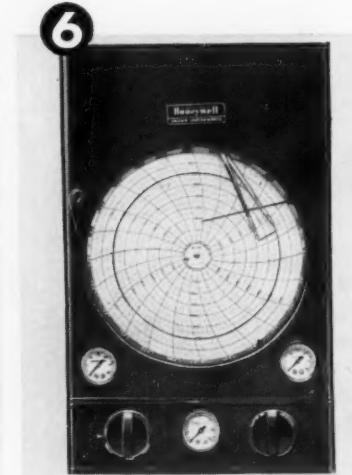
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**5**  
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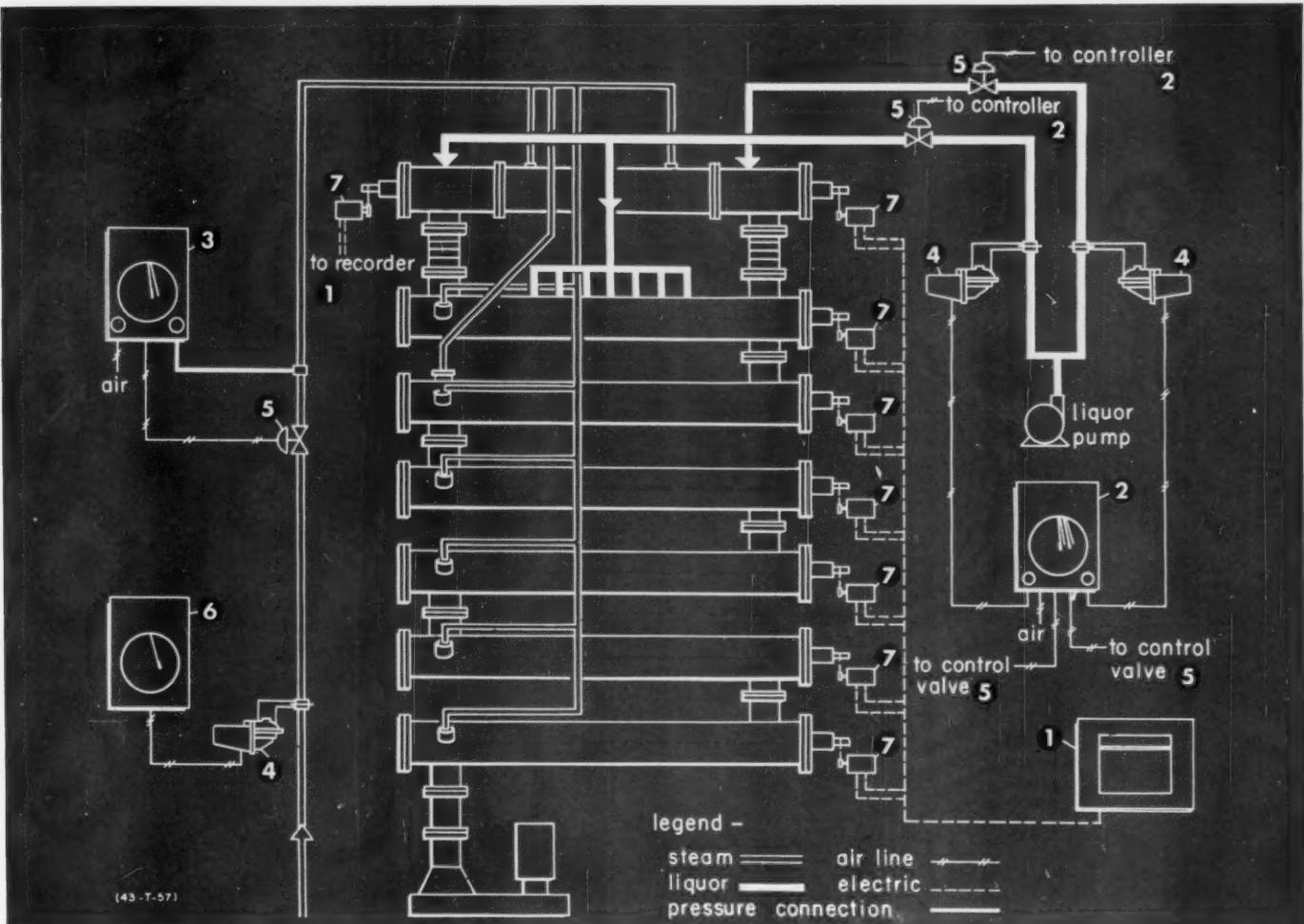


**6**  
Pressure Recording Controller (shown with bypass)—controls steam pressure



**7**  
Tachometer Generator—transmits screw speeds to recording instrument

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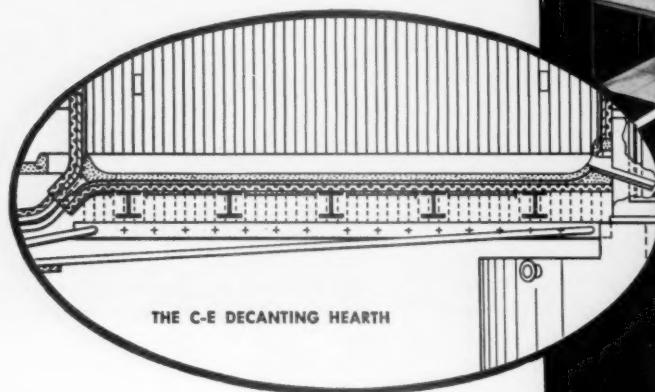


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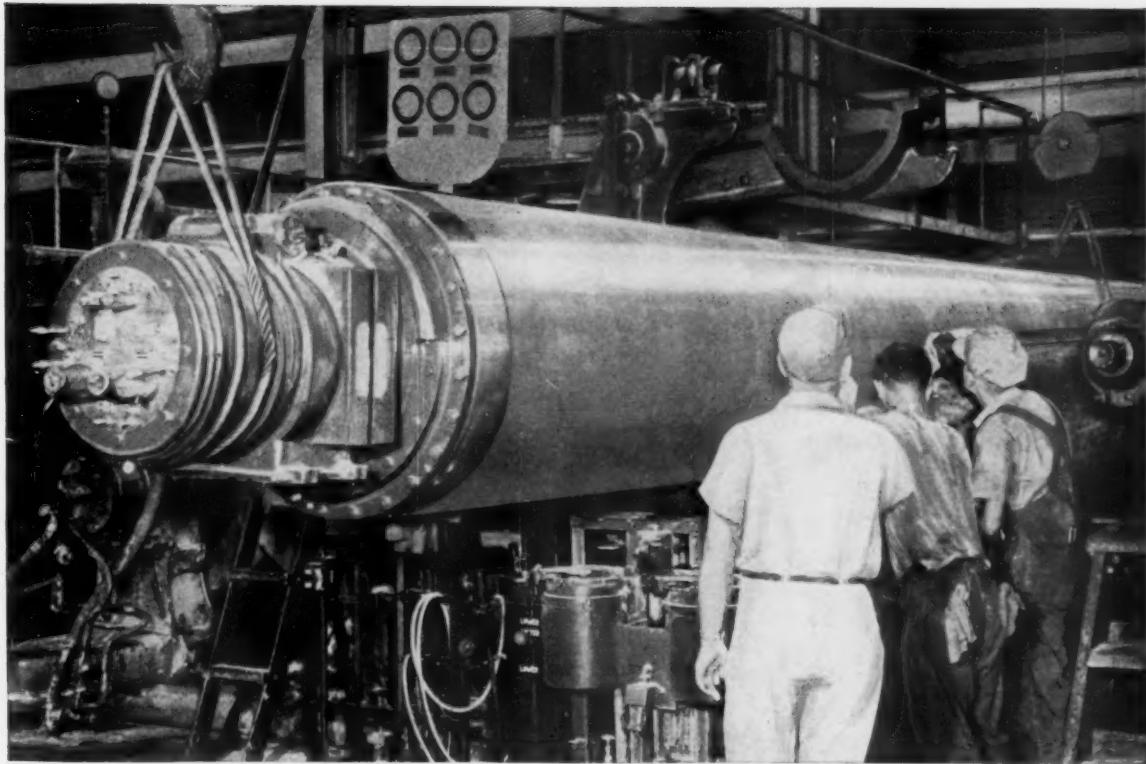
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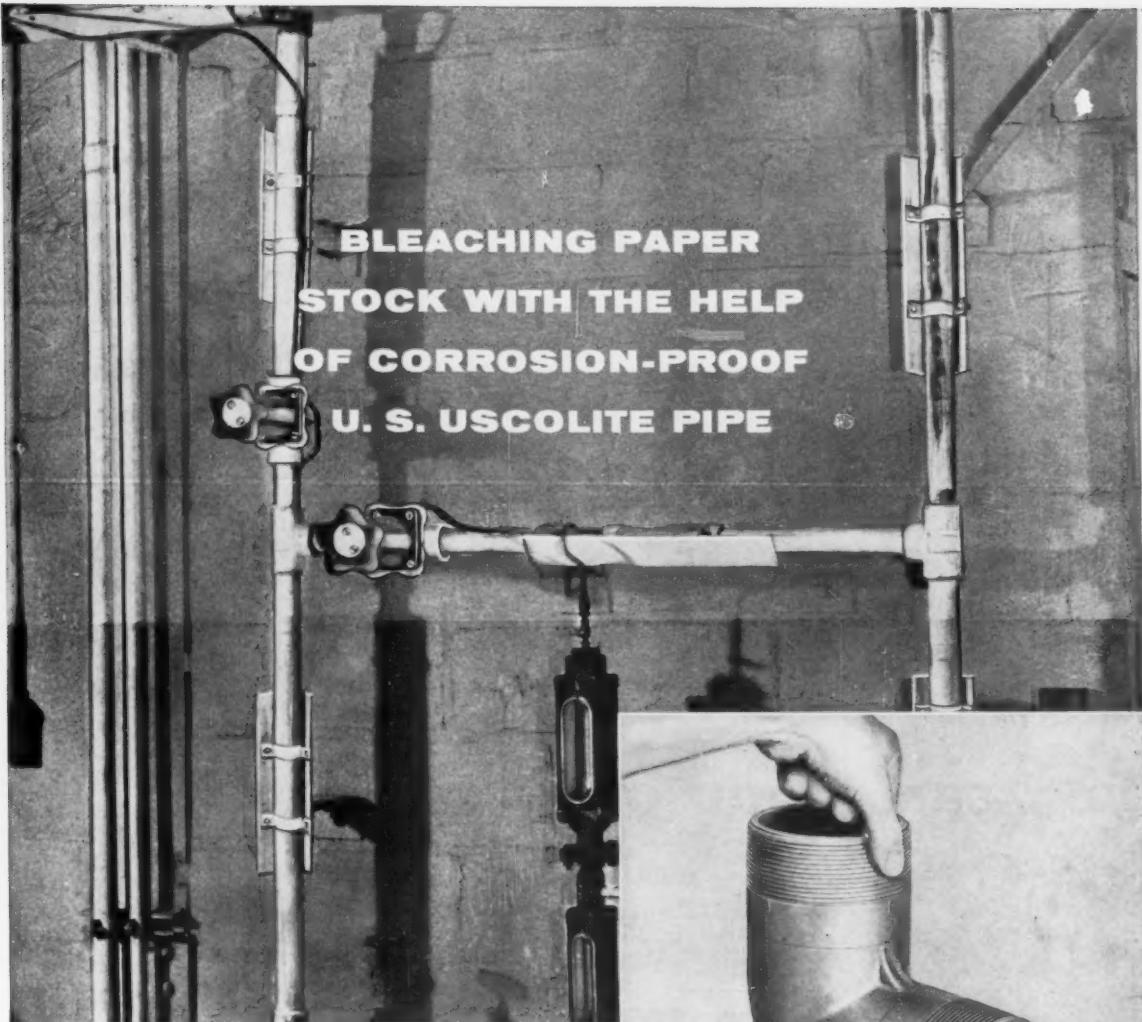


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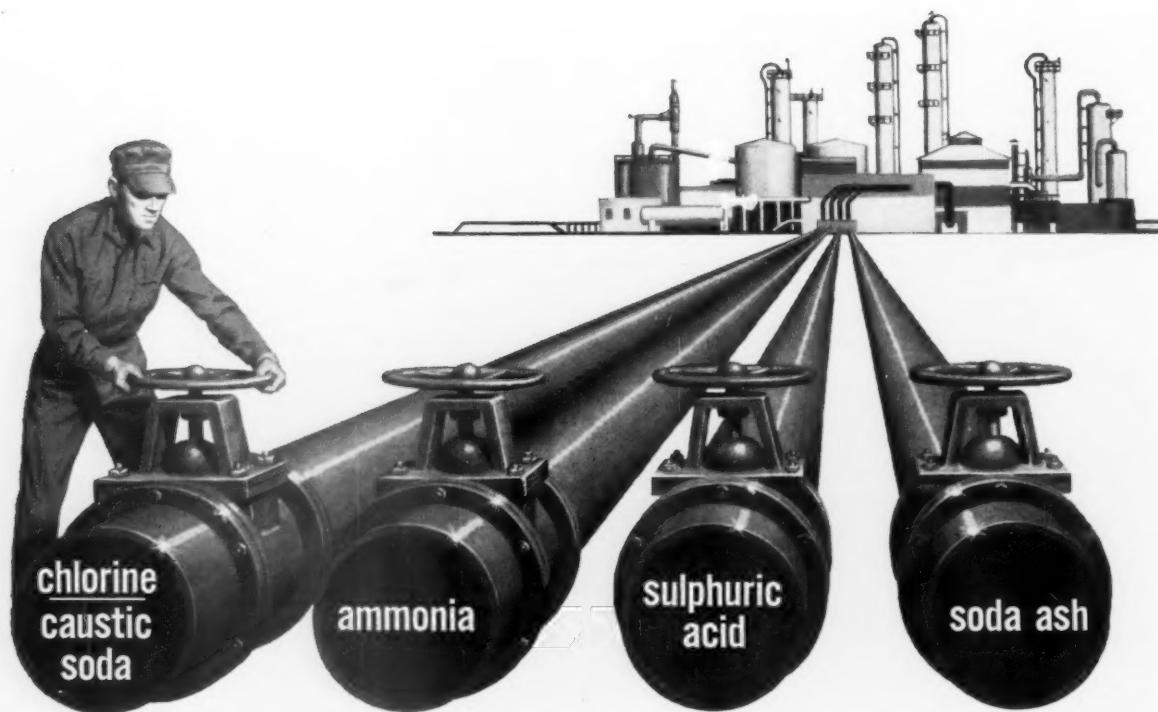
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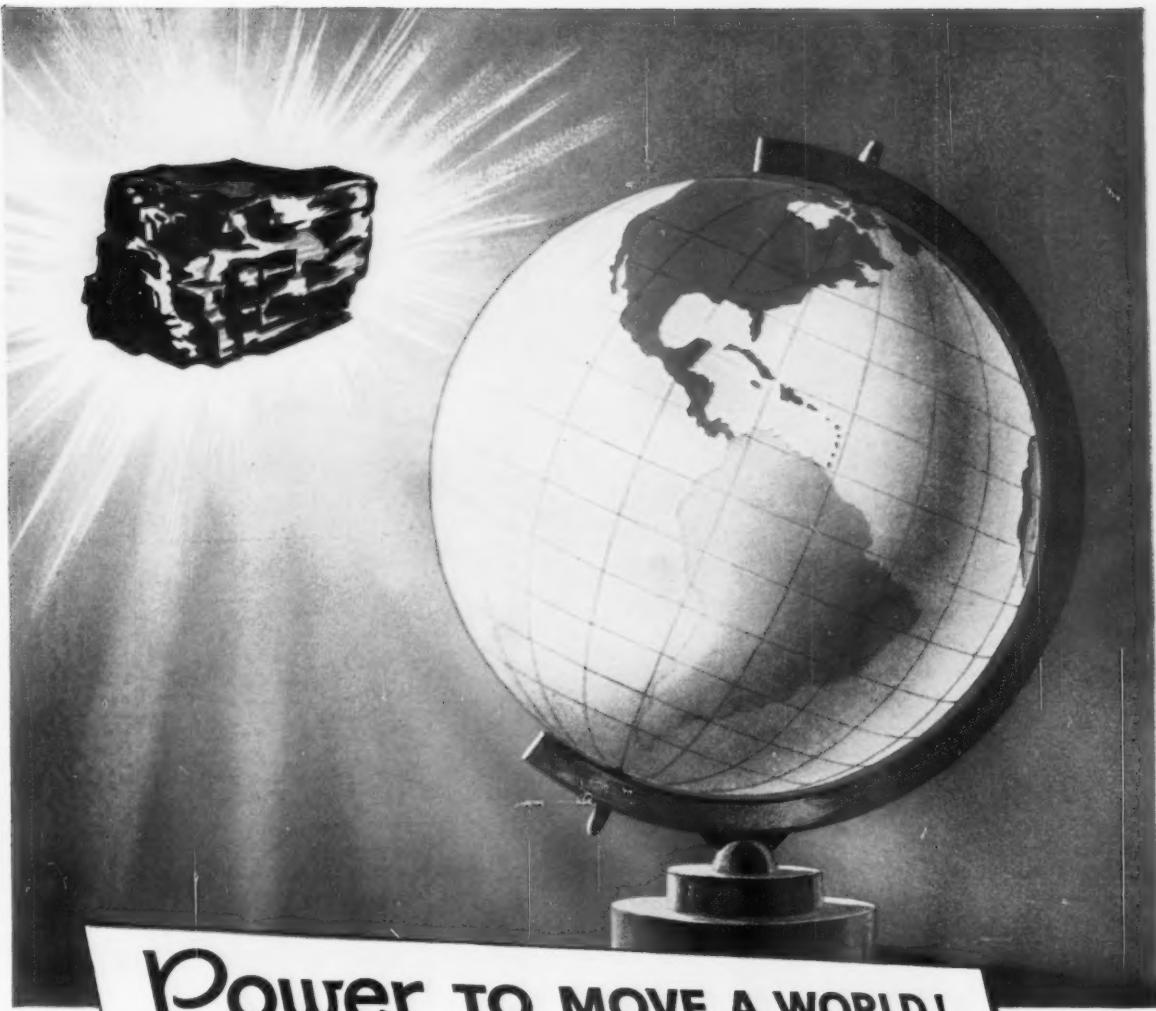
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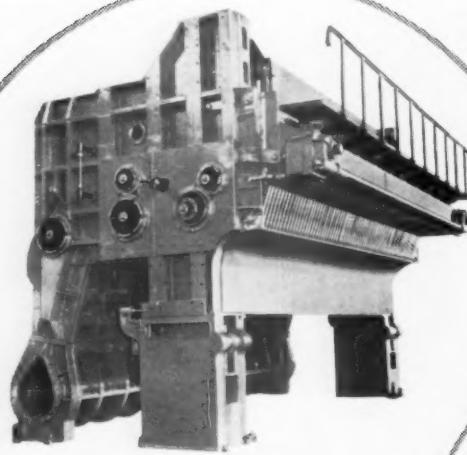
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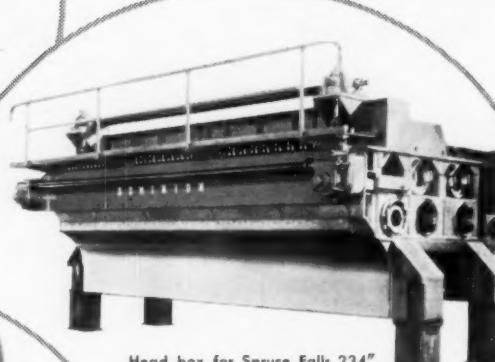


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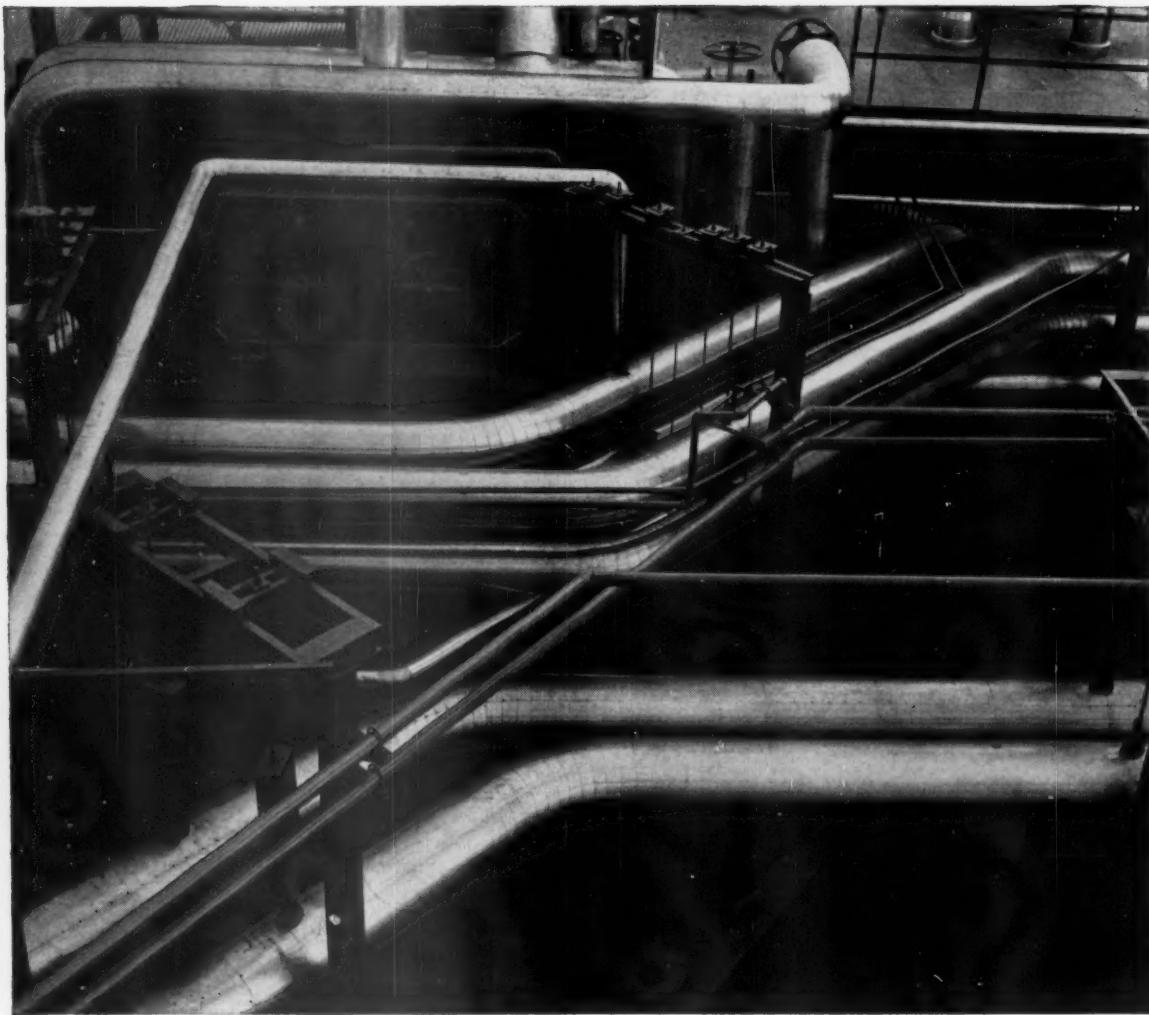
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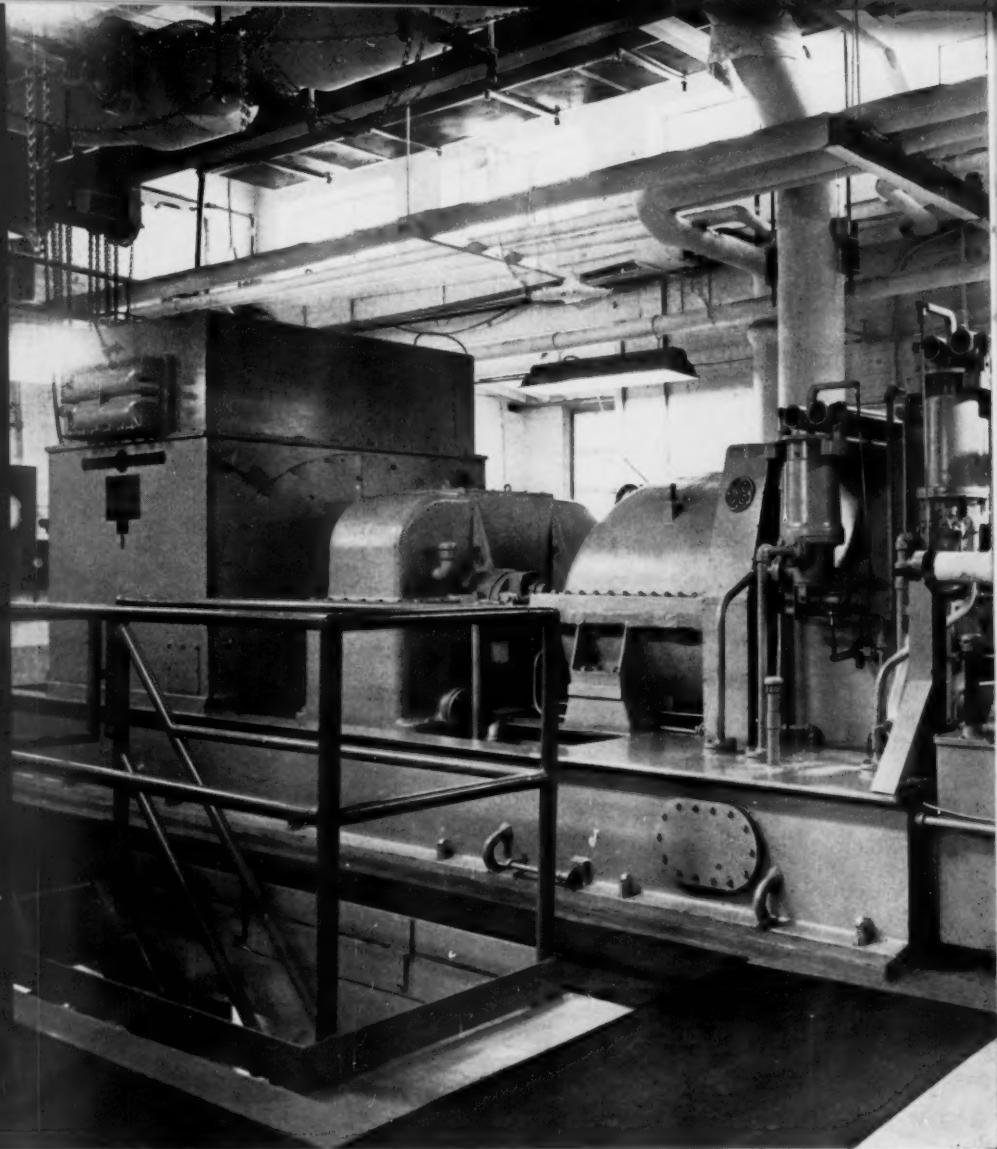
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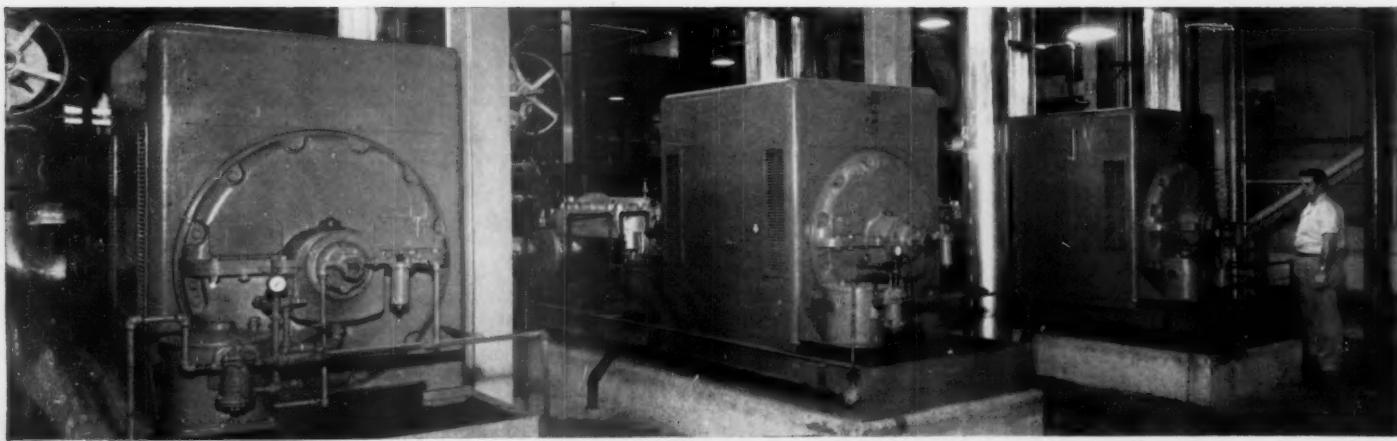
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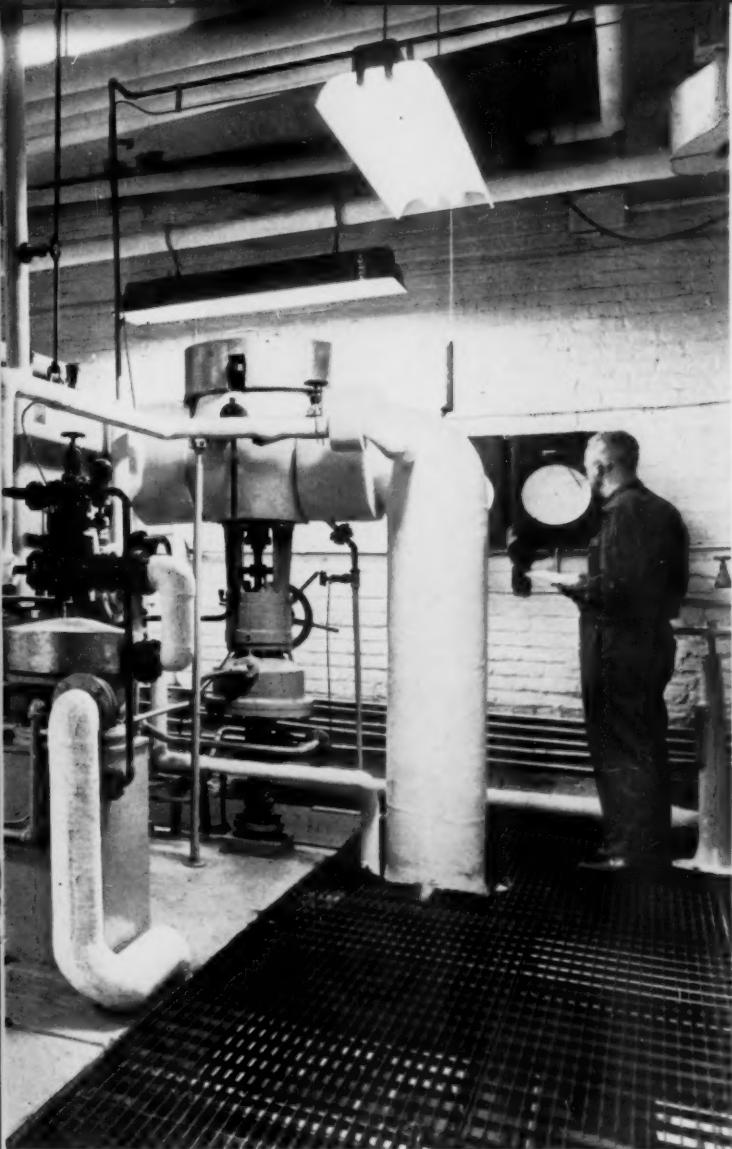
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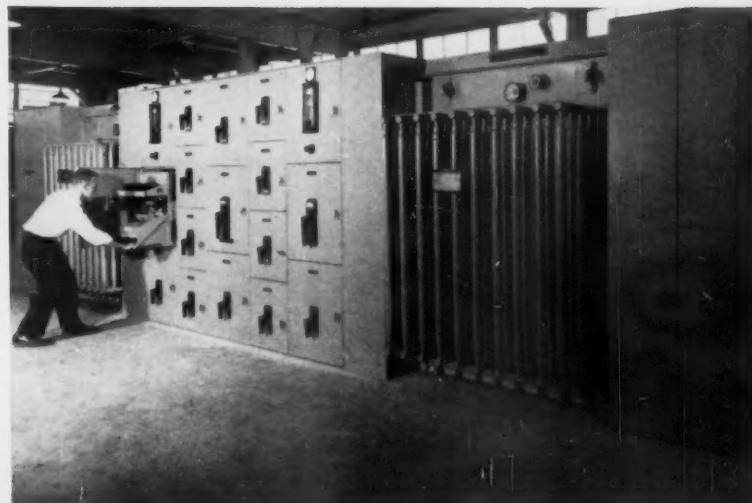
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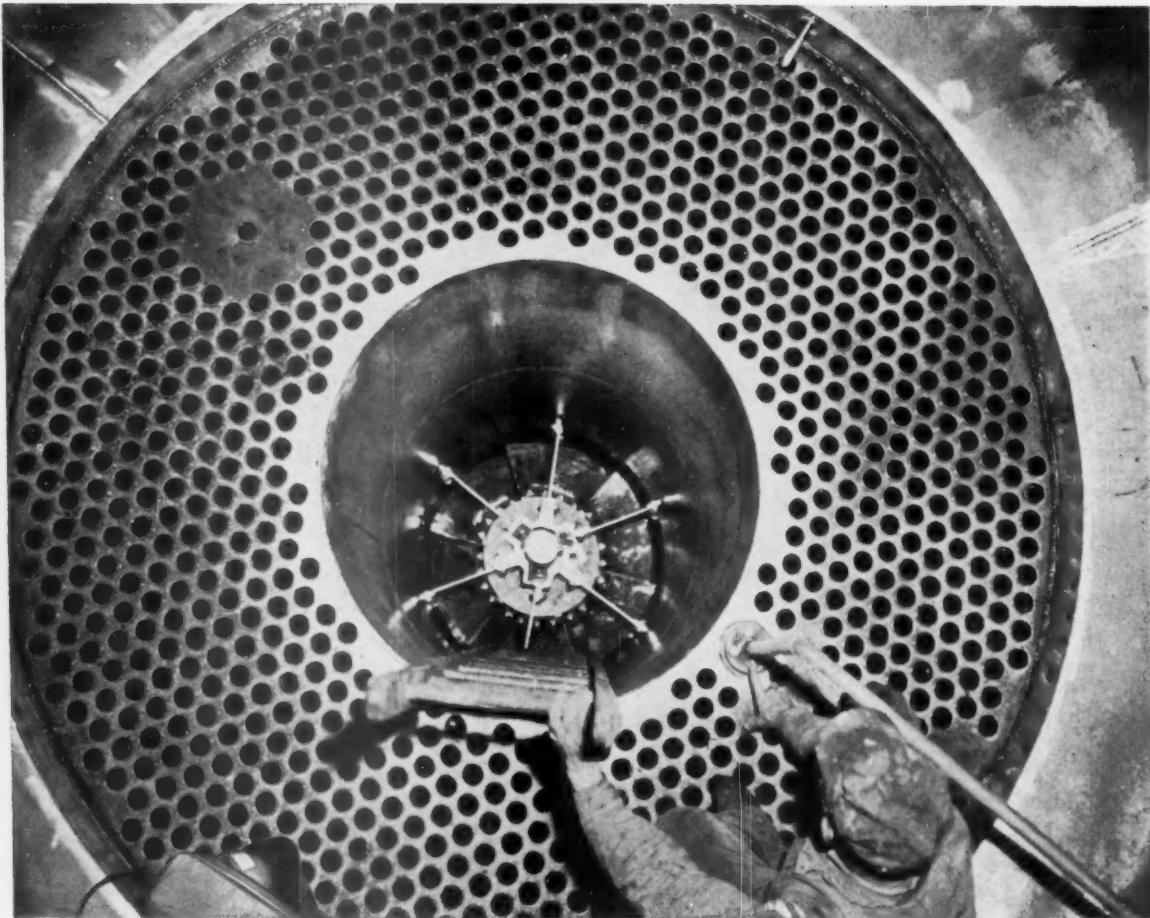
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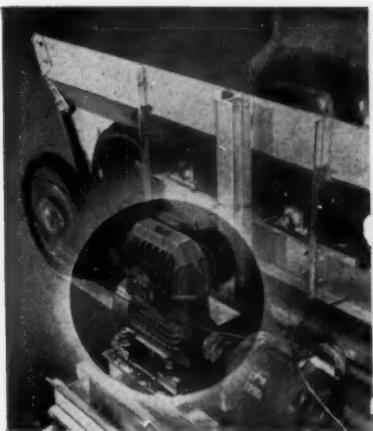
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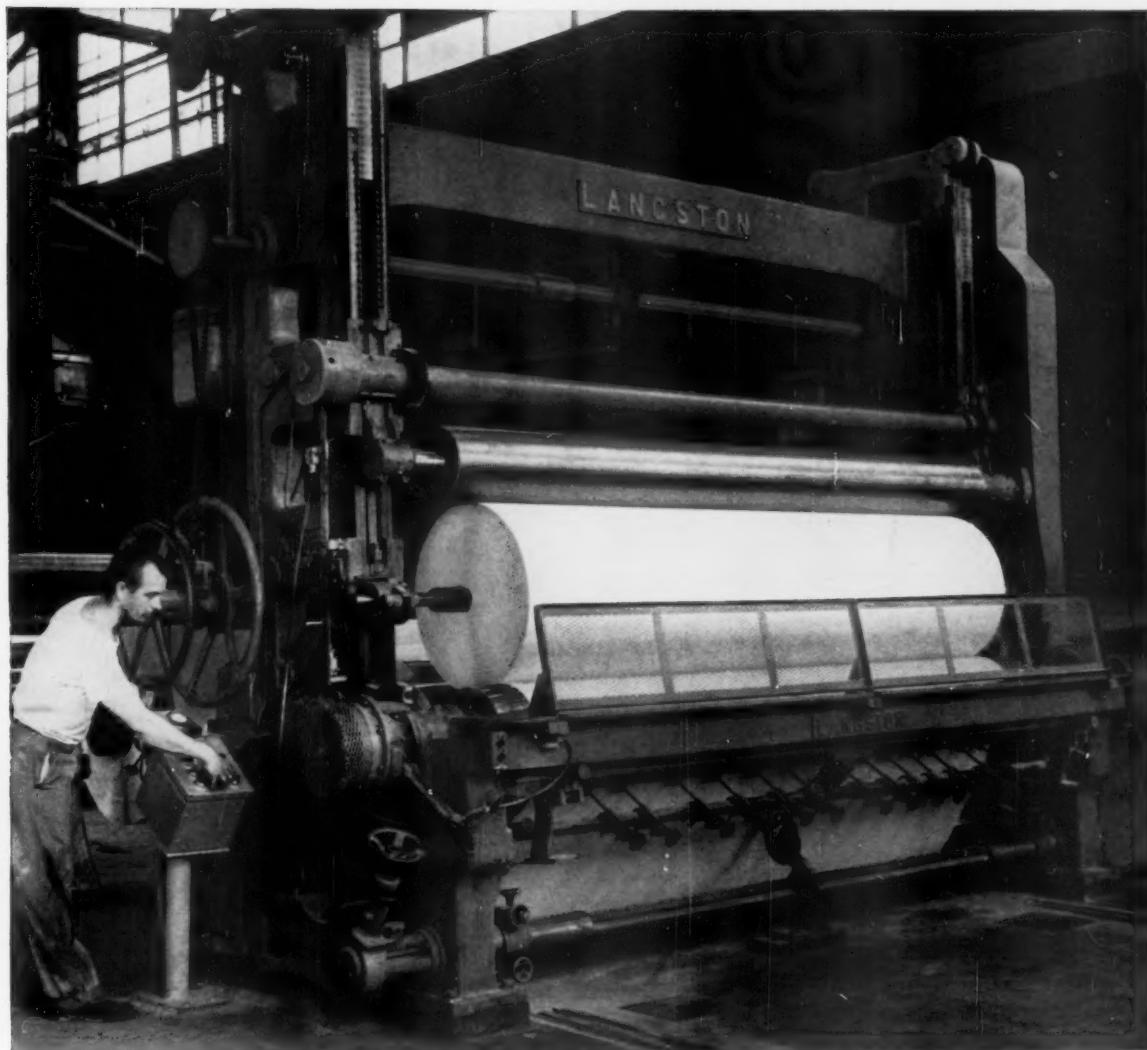
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**CRANE IS VIRTUALLY HIDDEN** in comparatively small hardwood yard at Crossett's new bleached foodboard mill (top.) Lower picture shows Crossett's big log pond which supplies pine to original paper mill for kraft pulping.

**SPECIAL PULP & PAPER FIELD REPORT**

## **How Utilization Works at Crossett**

**Facts on bleached foodboard mill's woodyard and how company plans its forest and integrates its mills**

• At Crossett, they give visitors a souvenir—an ashtray set in a section cut from a pine tree. The ashtray tells quite a story. The base is 6 in. wide and was cut from a managed tree grown in six years. Attached to the top, near the tray, is another section cut from a pine tree 16 years old. This tree came from an unmanaged stand where suppression limited its diameter to one inch. The profits found in careful forestry practices are pretty obvious.

Scientific management of a resource is what is really sold by the Crossett Co. It pioneered selective cutting which led to forest management. Today, long-range, scientific harvesting

and planning have become the philosophy of the entire company. Crossett is essentially a grower of trees, and the sprawling industrial domain carved into the heart of the South Arkansas forest fits perfectly into this philosophy. Crossett's system of mills and plants are founded on the principle of integration and utilization.

The firm's latest addition—the \$16 million bleached foodboard mill—is another step in the fulfillment of this project. Now hardwoods, once girdled or poisoned with chemicals and left on the stump to die, will be used. This project was many years in the making.

This new mill fits neatly into a system which includes one of the South's



**YALEMAN SULO SIHVONEN** — He heads Crossett's Forestry Division and its 550,000 acre Arkansas-Louisiana timber empire.

great lumber yards, a chemical company and a paper division. There is no such thing as waste here. The smoldering slat and sawdust pile—once a symbol of tragic waste in the lumber industry—is as much a memory at Crossett as the five-cent cigar and the horse-drawn trolley. Even cutoffs and sawdust are now transformed into useful products. When a log enters the gates of the gigantic Crossett enterprise, every inch of it is turned into a useful commodity.

**A CHANGE IN THINKING . . .** When the Crossett Co. began as a sawmill in the heart of the Arkansas forest (Date: May, 1899), its founders planned on cutting hard and "cutting out," a common practice at the turn of the century. But at the end of 20 years it became apparent that they had more at stake than just taking the forest and "gittin'." By employing sound forestry practices a permanent operation could be established and so it was. By 1929, Crossett was cutting on a sustained yield basis.

Today, Crossett's 550,000 acres of forests are under direct management of able Yaleman Sulo Sihvonen. The forest is divided into 11 districts, each with its own forester and assistant (most of whom are fellow graduates of the Yale University Forestry School.) The 29 professional foresters direct activities in sections ranging in size from 20,000 to 80,000 acres. In addition to approved cutting practices and a seed tree policy (originated in 1922), Crossett's Forestry Division conducts continuing experiments in forest management, genetics and seed improvement, to name a few. Each district forester has a crew of from four to 10 men to assist in marking trees, running land lines and carrying out silvicultural jobs. From each of these districts comes a monthly quota of trees for lumber, pulpwood, and chemical wood. How these logs are harvested is left to the forester, who, in a way, is his own tree farmer.

**A THORN BECOMES A ROSE . . .** Since the natural trend in tree growing is not entirely in sympathy with the pine, one of the Forestry Division's major headaches has been the tendency of low-grade hardwoods to develop under growing pines, where they thrive in the shade much more

See page 66 . . .

**PULP & PAPER's field report on new Crossett foodboard mill—also the unusual story of the town of Crossett itself—a great story of community relations.**

**INTEGRATED OPERATION** begins right here, where well-managed woodlands are carefully cut for maximum yield.

**LOADING PALLET IN WOODS . . .** Here's where Caterpillar Diesel's tractor comes in handy.

**HARVESTING THE CUT.** An International TD9 tractor skids loaded pallet from woods. Destination: any of four mills.



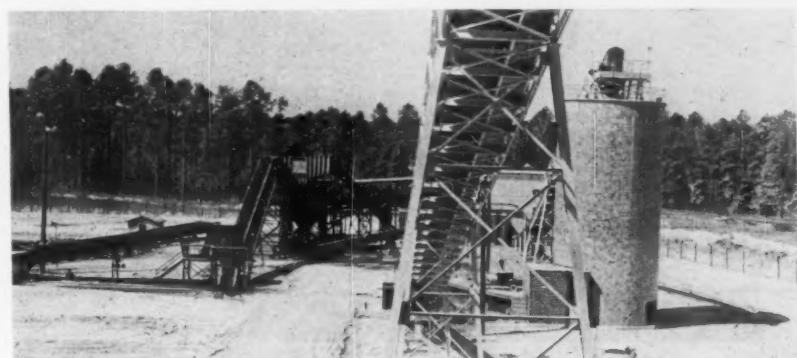
**PULPWOOD SECTION**



than do the softwoods, and then take over the land when the pines are taken out. One method for countering this problem was an accelerated cutting of hardwood sawtimber trees of low future potential and the removal of non-sawtimber oaks for chemical wood. Girdling and chemical treatment of low grade hardwood, complete the return of land to maximum pine production.

With the new mill, designed to utilize much of this hardwood, the

conversion to pine of areas once lost to low-grade hardwoods is now being realized. This will also simplify the establishment of new tree stands. With a ready market now for thinning, hardwoods can also be profitably used as filler in pine stands. Since almost a fourth of Crossett's timber holdings are bottomlands and hardwood areas, unsuitable for pine growth because of excessive water conditions, intensive forestry practices have been out of the question until



**ENTIRE WOODYARD CAN BE SEEN** in wide-angle view taken by PULP & PAPER from the new pulp mill. At left, conveyor to drum debarker, which is left center. In the center, the chip conveyor carries weighed chips under magnet from Stebbins chip silo (right), delivers them to digester.



**DRUM DEBARKER IS TWELVE FT. HIGH, 45 ft. long, was supplied by Fibre Making Processes, Inc.**



**CHIPS BOUNCE OVER** Orville Simpson Rotex screens before dropping on Jeffreys chip conveyor for trip to storage or back through hammermill type chip processor.

now. There just wasn't a sufficient outlet for non-sawtimber trees. Crossett's foresters had faced a real enigma, for without a market, low-quality trees became more abundant every year. Now, Forester Sihvonen and his staff are in the enviable position of being able to apply forestry practices to hardwood areas once considered a thorn in their sides.

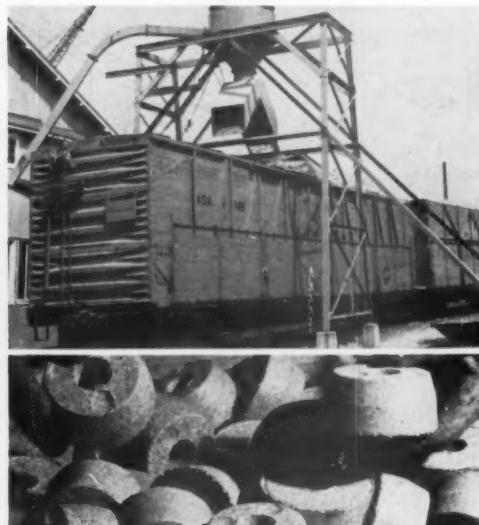
**HOW CROSSETT'S UTILIZATION WORKS . . .** Once a tree is cut and sent to market, Crossett's full-blown utilization system goes to work. Inside its system of mills, one feels almost surrounded by a tremendous perpetual motion machine. Pine logs are processed through debarking and chipping equipment—chips to the paper mill, bark to the furnace for fuel. Waste slabs are chipped. The

log itself is carefully selected for the best possible use.

Last year, about 75 million bd. ft. of lumber—everything from oak flooring to mop handles—was produced at the sawmill. Shaving waste from the hardwood flooring mill is sent to the Chipcraft machine. Made by Chipcraft, Inc., Morristown, Tenn., and the only one presently operating in the U.S., this device turns waste into paper roll plugs. The waste is first ground into fine particles, then forced under pressure into molds. There it is cooked for about 12 min. at 300° F. The new product is superior to regular plugs because of uniformity of size, better strength properties and stability in storage. Even chemicals used by the various mills get the "round robin" treatment. Some 92% of all chemicals are salvaged and put back to work at

Crossett. In the lumber mill, lower grades of oak, not meeting the high standards of other products, are converted into pallets. The chemical company produces charcoal from large size cutoffs and also manufactures methanol, crude turpentine, acetic acid, mud emulsifier and tall oil. The two paper mills produce 450 tons a day of kraft paper and 150 tons a day of bleached food board.

Last year, Crossett's direct payroll was \$8.4 million. Contract loggers earned another \$1.5 million and \$2.5 million went to contractors for raw materials. The company's net sales reached almost \$32 million. And if you like figures, one industrious gentleman figured that if the daily production of the new bleached food board mill were stretched out, it would make a sheet 17 inches wide.



**HOW UTILIZATION WORKS IS SHOWN IN THESE PICTURES.** Chips from sawmill left-overs are blown in freight cars for delivery to paper mills (upper left). Cutoffs from sawmill (center) are shipped to Crossett Chemical Co. to be made into charcoal. Sawmill left-overs (right) are finely ground, manufactured into paper plugs on this Chipcraft machine, only one in the U.S. at present. Closeup (lower left) shows finished plugs, turned out at rate of 500-600 an hour. Even chemicals are interchanged between chemical company operation and paper mills.

**NEW HYDRAULIC LIFT** at kraft mill empties chip truck from independent sawmill by raising front of truck to 50° angle, dumping chips on conveyor to mill.



and 55 miles long.

Sound forestry and utilization are not new to the industry. What makes Crossett a company worth studying is its progressive spirit. It has apparently reached a zenith in the advanced stages of full utilization through diversified forest products and yet every division continues to probe deeper into the fascinating science of utility.

**EFFICIENT WOODYARD . . .** Hardwoods are delivered to the new mill's woodyard, which is west of the mill, by truck. They are then carried by a Link-Belt chain conveyor to the barking drum, located on a platform about 12 ft. above the woodyard. Logs are dumped into a chute which channels them into the 12 x 45 ft. Fibre Making Processes barking drum. From the drum, logs are carried by a multiple strand flat chain conveyor to the chipper, after first passing a sorting deck where rejects are hooked off manually. A four-knife 96 in. chipper which was formerly used in the kraft mill woodyard is being used for the initial production at the new mill. Rejected wood is returned to the inlet of the barker by a continuous chain conveyor and bark is removed from under the drum by a rubber belt conveyor.

A Waterville 36 in. chip crusher of 12 to 15 cords capacity with a 30 hp motor accepts reject chips and cuts them into the  $\frac{1}{8}$  x  $\frac{1}{8}$  in. size called for by screens. Chips from the crusher are air conveyed to the chip screens.

Chips are conveyed on a Jeffreys belt system from the chipper and crusher to a small surge hopper where they are fed to the No. 72 Orville Simpson Rotex screens by a rotary star feeder. The rotary feeder is used in order to get maximum use from the screens.

Accepted chips then move to a 59 ft. high Stebbins tile chip silo via the 228 ft. long conveyor and are discharged into the top where they are stored until ready to be delivered to the digester.

#### Movie Aid to Safer Logging

How to train fallers and buckers to work safely with power saws is theme of a new color-sound movie, "Falling & Bucking Timber."

It was filmed under the sponsorship of loggers in Oregon, Washington and British Columbia. Rarig Motion Picture Co. Seattle, made the picture and will have it available for rental or purchase in early 1957.

The new film supersedes the old picture, "Falling," made in 1947, when power saws were just getting to be really popular.

#### Industry Radio Group Changes Name

The forest products industries group which aids and advises radio licensees and functions as liaison between the industry and FCC (formerly National Forest Industries Communications has changed its name to Forest Industries Radio Communications. The organization revised its articles of organization and by-laws, broadening the group's activities to also include other electromechanical devices.

Elmer Surdam continues as full-time manager, headquarters at 10 East 18th Ave., Eugene, Ore.

Recently reported were 272 separate licensees for the industry's two-way transmissions, this group operating 3,925 radio transmitters. During the past year 31 new licensees were added.

Division	No. of Licensees	No. of Transmitters
Lake States Div.	9	75
Eastern Div.	9	124
Southern Div.	52	834
Western Div.	202	2892
	272	3925

#### Mostly Pine in Record Southern Pulpwood Cut

The increase of 1,800,000 cords in pulpwood production in 1955 in the Southern States was almost all in pine species as shown in new statistics on this page, compiled by PULP & PAPER from reliable official sources throughout the South. Total pulpwood production for twelve Southern states was 18,014,000 cords, of which 2,526,000 were various hardwoods.

#### PULPWOOD PRODUCTION IN THE SOUTH By State and Species Group (in thousands of cords)

	Pine		Hardwood*		1954 Total	1955 Total
	1954	1955	1954	1955		
Ala.	1,765	1,860	67	69	1,832	1,929
Ark.	726	783	101	94	827	877
Fla.	1,661	1,827	..	2	1,661	1,829
Ga.	2,880	3,569	178	191	3,058	3,760
La.	1,265	1,367	239	283	1,504	1,650
Miss.	1,217	1,028	746	880	1,963	1,908
N. C.	1,229	1,273	278	300	1,507	1,573
Okla.	33	34	..	4	33	38
S. C.	1,160	1,269	170	245	1,330	1,514
Tenn.	134	221	106	106	240	327
Texas	1,004	1,119	51	84	1,055	1,203
Va.	1,034	1,138	225	268	1,229	1,406
Total	14,108	15,488	2,161	2,526	16,269	18,014

\* Includes 26,074 cords of chestnut used for pulp

In addition to rough round pulpwood reported above, 234,275 cords of wood residues were obtained from other forest industry plants (182,378 cords sawmill chips, 51,897 cords veneer cores, etc.).

—Compiled by PULP & PAPER from reliable official sources.



**THIS IS SETTING WHERE NINE FORESTERS WERE TURNED LOOSE TO MARK TREES** during Northeastern Forest Tree Improvement Conference. Half-acre plot on Armstrong Forest Co.'s Wolf Run Experimental Forest had been marked off. Stand is 59 years old, was clear cut in 1897 and another cut made in 1940 for sap-peeled pulpwood. A major portion was then cut to 11-in. dia. and some to 8-in. About 10.1 cords were then removed. Basal area at present is estimated at 57 and has about 31.8 cords per acre.

## Foresters Hold Tree Marking "Battle"

**Markers explain and defend their actions in unusual session of Northeast Forest Tree Improvement Conference**

• "I am not thinking of any hypothetical management; rather my primary aim is for maximum pulpwood production."

The speaker was Art Bennett, supervisor of woods operations for Armstrong Forest Co. As his words rang out more than 100 technical foresters were getting ringside seats for what promised to be verbalistic fireworks.

The setting was a half-acre tree plot on Armstrong's Wolf Run Experimental Forest near Johnsonburg, Pa., last August. The occasion was the wind-up session of the Northeastern Forest Tree Improvement Conference. In attendance were some 130 foresters. They came from Northeastern and Southern U.S.A., Canada, Australia and Germany.

The theme was novel. What would happen if nine foresters were turned loose on this tree plot to mark trees and then had to explain their selections? That the nine "wise men" included three geneticists, three indus-

trial foresters and three silviculturists was purely intentional.

"Hatch" O'Hara, Armstrong vice president, explained that usually three or four foresters will gather around a tree to argue about how they would mark it, and their reasons and arguments are lost. This time was to be different. Their markings were to be recorded and a copy given to each forester present and then each of the markers had to explain and defend his markings.

The half-acre circular plot is on soil classified as Dekalb Chennery Silt Loam—a shallow, well-drained, light brown acid soil derived from acid sandstone, with sandy subsoil. The 59-year-old stand was clear cut in 1897 and has 2,921 cu. ft. (31.8 standard cords) per acre in trees 6-in. and up.

Hemlock and beech, suppressed and small at the original cutting, still remain. Another cut was made in 1940 for sap-peeled pulpwood. Then, a major portion was cut to 11-in. dia.,

limit, and a small portion to about 8-in. About 10.1 cords were removed.

**NOW FOR ROUND ONE . . .** Forster Bennett of Armstrong Forests marked 37 trees; in volume about 16 cords of live trees, and salvaged 2 cords of dead, merchantable trees. He cut or marked 50% of the basal area of 57 sq. ft.

His secondary aim, he explained, is for the production of high value cherry veneer grade logs. He figured on a 15-year cutting cycle and cut the larger trees to release smaller ones. He was trying to fatten up the crop trees, he explained.

Since 12-in. dbh (diameter at breast height) is the best size for pulpwood, he avoided thinking of trees under 8-in. "Another thing," he continued, "I'm trying to keep mortality to a minimum. Further, we have certain improvements such as road building, which have to be charged off on pulpwood."

Q. What are your undesirable spe-

cies? **A.** Sugar maple is best; black birch, least. Actually we don't like to think of any one tree as being least desirable.

**Q.** What is the cost for roads? **A.** About \$1 per cord.

**Q.** Do you have any idea in mind for your future stands as far as eventual reproduction? **A.** Eventual reproduction will be around crop trees and we will make them elite trees in three cycles. From a practical and genetic standpoint, you'll get better trees.

**NEXT IN THE RING . . .** Svend O. Heiberg, professor of silviculture at N.Y. College of Forestry, Syracuse, N.Y., marked 41 trees, the second lowest in number.

He prefaced his remarks by saying that more local and economic information was needed for proper marking. If maximum pulpwood production was wanted, he said that clear cutting would be the way to do it to around 10-in. dbh.

"I believe this stand is past maximum production. While it looks fairly well, there are relatively few good trees. We may get a better stand if we opened it up that much. Secondly, I would try to work for the best that we have here. My objective is to work for the best we have in this stand. Start to work for cherry and hard maple, beech and sugar maple. However, it is clear that cherry trees are in poor condition." He removed more than he liked of cherry.

"The best trees are actually soft maple." Prof. Heiberg removed 33% of the basal area—about 10 cords, leaving 20.

**Q.** What do you mean that if you were to handle primarily for pulpwood you would clear cut? **A.** The stand has the greatest ability to produce fiber in use. As it gets old, capacity is lower as it gets to 80 and 90 years. Our studies indicate the largest volume of growth between 35 and 40 years (inactively managed stand), but our whole pattern of operation is based on the fact that we assume smaller trees when released will add the same type of growth. By thinning from the top you will get a comparable base of stand that is 35 years to begin with.

**Q.** Are you thinking in terms of even age stand? **A.** Object we are seeking is to maintain that period of growth on one level and crop trees on the other.

**Q.** One objection to the type of pulpwood management Prof. Heiberg suggests is you would lose the value of all these road systems. **A.** The best forestry would be on long rotation. You'd get more money that way, too.



**HE REMOVED MORE THAN HE LIKED OF CHERRY TREES**, explained, "Objective is to work for best we have. . . . cherry trees are in poor condition. . . . start to work for cherry and hard maple and sugar maple." He is SVEND O. HEIBERG, Professor of Silviculture at New York State College of Forestry.

**HOW SILVICULTURIST MARKED . . .** Ash Hough, in charge of the Northeastern Forest Experiment Station, marked 44 trees; said that he marked "by eye and by guess."

"I think we should work this stand as it is at present and not think of reproduction at this stage. If the proper cut is made, reproduction will set in naturally. Some of these trees have veneer in the butt log." He considered integrated production of pulpwood and logs with the objective of leaving a canopy at all times.

**THEN A GENETICIST . . .** Dr. C. Heimburger, of the Southern Forest

Experiment Station, Maple, Ont., cut 47 trees, second highest in number of the nine markers. "What we want to grow is the best kind of trees on this particular site," he explained. "This site is below in quality what we have seen (on other Armstrong land). It is a fair hardwood plot, damaged by windstorm and consisting of shallow soil."

Dr. Heimburger "refused to take crop trees very seriously" in his marking. He also said he would favor soft maple and cut heavy so as to inhibit production of hard maple and hemlock. "Also, there's a lot of cherry which should have been cut last time."



**"YOU PICK THE TREE YOU WANT TO FAVOR AND REMOVE ELEMENTS HINDERING IT."** Industrial forester DONALD E. "PETE" PETERSON, Hammermill Paper Co., steps in for close look at bark before marking tree. He made a lighter cut than others (7.4 cords on half acre or 14.8 cords per acre); justified it by saying he believed it was an economical cut.

I would like to see production of hard maple here. We can probably grow much better hard maple, however, on other sites," he said.

**Q.** Do I understand that in your opinion this is a rather poor site. **A.** The soil is good, but not enough of it. There is a rather rapid growth in youth and then a rapid falling off. (One forester added that this is considered a good site in Pennsylvania—a two plus or minus one site.)

**Q.** Which of the species is shallow-rooted. **A.** Yellow birch.

**ANOTHER SILVICULTURIST . . .**

Joseph Ibberson, chief, division, research, Pennsylvania Dept. of Forests and Waters marked as a silviculturist. He explained that his markings (47 trees) represented the policy of his group, which had obligations to sportsmen, industry and to watershed requirements. "We must leave the land in a presentable condition because public opinion could put us out of business overnight," he said.

Hardwood potential of the area was not being realized, he said. In his markings he took out 878 cu. ft. of cordwood and about 1,726 bd. ft. The return he estimated would be about \$90.70. He left about 470 cu. ft. cordwood and 4,148 bd. ft. which he valued at about \$209 per acre.

"If we move cherry up 2 in. and the others 1.5 in., the value after 20 years would be about \$461 per acre."

**ANOTHER GENETICIST . . .**

Frank Mergen, Yale Forestry Research Center, Concord, N.H., said that from a geneticist's standpoint it was hard to mark this stand because the best trees have been cut out. He marked 42 trees for cutting, about 55 sq. ft. of the basal area. He also explained that because of windthrow, some of the trees were of sprout origin from the same stump. He left most of the hemlock and some of the larger cherry and sugar maple.

**A PAPER MILL FORESTER . . .**

Donald E. "Pete" Peterson, forester with Hammermill Paper Co., based his marking (43 trees) on several conceptions. "We are in this area and we are working with this timber and have to work with the best we have

here," he emphasized.

"You also have to consider that we have to put an economic interest into this. You pick the tree you want to favor and remove the elements hindering it most. In my marking, I considered as products more than just pulpwood and any logs whose value we would say were just not necessarily prime logs but good logs. I strived for the assistance of the better element, trees of form, species and position." He recommended that before marking we should "stand back to get the overall picture and then go in."

Forester Peterson's marking of 43 trees amounted to 7.4 cords or 14.8 cords per acre.

**Q.** That is a much lighter cut than some of the others. **A.** Believe it is an economical cut.

**AN INDUSTRIAL FORESTER . . .**

Laurence E. Stotz, district ranger,

U.S. Forest Service, Sheffield, Pa., marked as an industrial forester; said he marked on sawtimber rotation. None of the Allegheny Forest, he explained, is dedicated to pulpwood rotation and, after questioning, added that no area is exclusively to pulpwood rotation.

He marked 51 trees, removed about 42 sq. ft. of the basal area, leaving 76. He left two live hemlocks because "we have to consider wildlife cover," and took 14 small black cherry for sawlogs.

**Q.** Why are there no areas on pulpwood rotation? Isn't it forest management policy to maintain local industry? **A.** Pulpwood wasn't ruled out.

**A GENETICIST . . .** Dr. Ernst Schreiner, Northeastern Forest Experiment Station, Upper Darby, Pa., marked 45 trees as a geneticist, explained that "objectively the best thing is to get an early conversion to better composition and to get it not immediately but in one or two more cuts." He marked primarily for pulpwood. Trees he left were progenitors.

**More About the NEFTIC Meeting**

• The Northeastern Forest Tree Improvement Conference was sponsored in 1953 by the Northeastern Forest Research Advisory Council to coordinate research workers, practicing foresters, forest owners and representatives of wood-using industries inter-

ested in better trees for our future forests.

Sparking NEFTIC is Ernst J. Schreiner, specialist in forest genetics, at USFS Northeast Forest Experiment Station, Upper Darby, Pa. He claims to have earned a living from forest



LEADERS OF FOURTH NEFTIC were ERNST SCHREINER (left), U. S. Forest Service, Northeast Experiment Station, Upper Darby, Pa., and EDWIN O. EHRHART (right), President, Armstrong Forest Co., Johnsonburg, Pa.

genetics longer than any other person in the world.

"Ernie," as he is known in forestry circles the world over, has a b.s. in forestry from N.Y. College of Forestry and ph.d. from Columbia U. in 1924 he joined Oxford Paper Co., Rumford, Me., and began breeding poplars there. He left Oxford to work with the TVA and joined the U.S. Forest Service in 1936.

#### SOME DEFINITIONS . . . PULP & PAPER asked him for some layman definitions of genetics and silviculture.

"Silviculture is the culture of trees," he said. "Genetics is only one aspect of good silviculture. Genetics alone will not solve the problem. Genetics is after the next generation without thought of economics. It might, however, make the difference between profit and loss in that next generation."

As do all research men, Dr. Schreiner has a pet subject: Poplars. He is convinced that some day poplar will be an important tree in our forest economy. "You can get pulpwood from poplar in 8 years! No other tree in the temperate zone will produce veneer wood in 15 years as poplar can," he explained.

#### HOST . . . NEW OFFICERS . . .

Host of the 1956 conference at Kane, Pa., was Armstrong Forest Co., whose president, Edwin O. Ehrhart, was chairman of the NEFTIC executive committee. He is a forestry graduate of Penn State, where he studied genetics. After graduation, he worked as a forester in Montana, did some timber cruising in Quebec and joined Armstrong in 1915.

New officers of NEFTIC are Edwin L. Giddings (Penobscot Chemical Fibre Co.), chairman; H. C. Buckingham (State forester, Annapolis, Md.), vice chairman; and Dr. Schreiner, executive secretary. A new member was added this year: Dr. I. C. Haut, director of the Maryland Agricultural Experiment Station. He will represent the state agricultural experiment stations in the Northeastern regions.

**TOUR IS DESCRIBED . . .** First stop on the day and a half program was the Tioga scenic and natural area in the Allegheny National Forest. Here, in an area of 4,000 acres, one half is set aside for scenic purposes so that visitors can see what the original Allegheny forests were like.



DEEP IN GENETICS, these two are oblivious to PULP & PAPER's camera: WOLFGANG KOEHLER (left), Forestry Secretary, Germany Embassy, Washington, D. C. and FRED V. KLAEHN (right), Assistant Professor of Genetics, N. Y. State College of Forestry, Syracuse, N. Y.

The balance is for scientists to study the remnants of the original forest.

At Kane Experimental Station, the foresters saw a 19-year-old pine plantation, planted in 1937 to test trees from six climatic regions. Trees were from 15 different sources in Maine, Mass., N.Y., Pennsylvania and the Lake States.

Ten year data revealed greater variation between climatic regions than within groups. Best trees were from the Lake States (central and northeastern Wisconsin) and the poorest were from Maine.

**TOO MANY DEER . . .** "Unfortunately, we in Pennsylvania haven't learned to harvest our deer crop." This remark by one forester points up a severe problem in the Keystone State. "It's either the deer or the forest," he added. "We are just farming the deer. All we do by hunting is to take a thin layer off the top."

Deer damage to young sprouts, especially cherry, amazed foresters at the conference. Cherry sprouts are especially attractive to the deer, who love to feed on the succulent, tender shoots. Armstrong Forest Co. recently petitioned the Pennsylvania Game Commission for open season on does. Although representatives of the company were told they made an excellent appeal, the request was turned down.

In some instances the company has resorted to piling brush around cherry sprouts or building barriers of pulpwood around stumps. One company spokesman estimated that even if it

cost \$1 or more per stump it was worth it in view of veneer logs selling for about \$250 per tree. (As a comparison, on the average, \$5 is realized for pulpwood and \$100 to \$200 for sawlogs.)

Foresters were also treated to a tour of Armstrong Forest Co.'s Wolf Run Experimental Forest, comprising 2,500 acres and "every acre paying off." They saw chemical girdling in action; how cherry sprouts are protected from deer; a crop tree site and demonstration of the Bombardier tractor.

Foresters can and do talk shop day and night and this group was no exception. Later that night they viewed color slides showing that Germany, France, Italy, Sweden, Canada and Australia were doing in forest genetics.

One geneticist from Germany, Fred V. Klaehn, now assistant professor of genetics at N. Y. College of Forestry, added a touch of humor by showing results of grafting tomato with potato—potatoes at the root end and tomatoes at the other end.

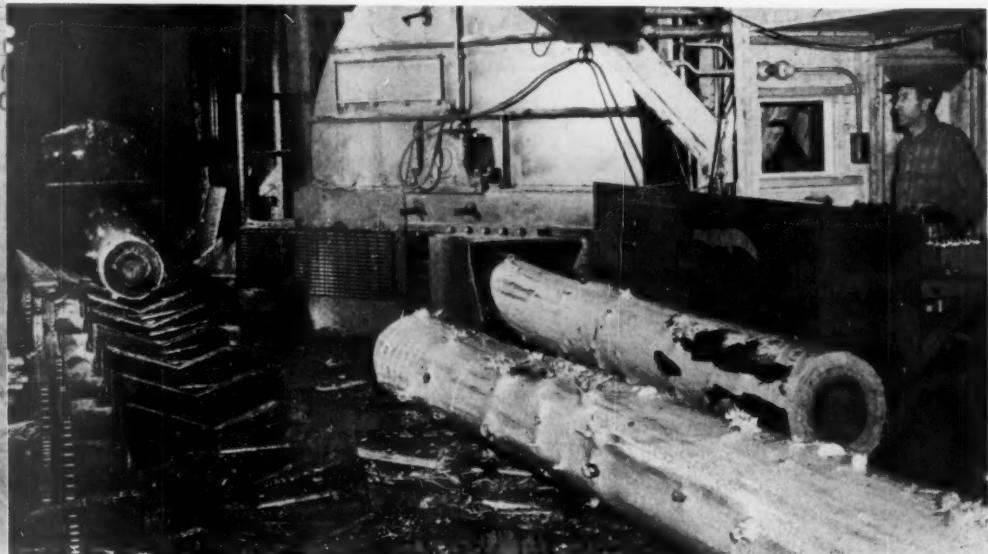
Jim McWilliam, forester with the Queensland Forest Service in Australia, and now studying for his ph.d. in forest genetics at Yale, showed results of introducing Southern slash pine and loblolly pine into Australia.

A vice president of one forest company, a non-forester, summed up the meeting for PULP & PAPER: "It is most interesting that these men are so fascinated by something that they may never see in fruition."

The fifth NEFTIC meeting will be held at Orono, Me., probably in August, 1957.



**APPROACH TO BARKER . . .** Log from pond approaches Hansel arm-type hydraulic barker which removes bark with high-pressure oscillating jets.



**EMERGE FROM BARKER . . .** Debarked pulp log emerging from barker (left) onto "concave" conveyor rolls will be transferred to feed chain and converted to chips by Hansel 112-in. whole-log horizontal-feed chipper at right.

## New Arm-type Log Barker at Potlatch

**Idaho operations now have three barkers and five chippers handling whole logs as well as marginal wood**

• Potlatch Forests, Inc. increased the number of barkers in its Lewiston, Idaho, sawmill to three and chippers to five with addition of a whole-log barking-chipping unit this year. Marginal logs and short pieces salvaged from the woods operations and lumber byproduct wood from this 5-headrig sawmill are converted to pulp chips. Thus the sawmill provides a goodly supply of chips for the company's 525-ton per day pulp and paper mill.

Prior to recently adding the Hansel arm-type hydraulic barker and 112-in. whole-log Hansel chipper, pulp logs were taken into the sawmill and converted into fletches on the headrigs and these, in turn, converted to chips. This made for production disadvantages, according to A. T. Kauffman, unit manager lumber department. It either "held up" lumber production or required special overtime operation for processing the pulp logs.

Prior to installing this latest barker and whole-log chipper, the sawmill facilities included two Hansel ring barkers, three 86-in. Murray chippers (for processing edgings, fletches and slabs) and a 52-in. Norman chipper (for converting trims into chips), all of which will remain in production.

**HOW SMALL LOGS ARE PROCESSED . . .** Small pulp-type logs (up to 26-in. diameter) are now processed through the new barker and converted directly into chips by the whole-log chipper without becoming involved with the regular lumber production processes. Pulp type logs over 26-in. diameter continue to be handled through the sawmill headrigs and Murray chippers as previously.

This latest barker does not, however, operate exclusively on pulp logs. It processes both pulp and sawmill logs, either mixed together or segregated. Depending on local conditions, a run may be all pulp logs, or all sawmill logs, or the run may be entirely unselected except for the 26-in. maximum diameter and 33-ft. length limitations for the pulp logs.

The Hansel arm-barker and chipper occupy one corner of the sawmill building and a log slip delivers logs from the pond directly to the barker. As a log enters the barker the lead end engages a hanging arm which rides on top of the log as it moves beneath the suspended unit. The height of the lift (determined by diameter of log concerned) automatically determines (1) speed of the chain

carrying logs through the barker and (2) oscillation rate of jets playing on both sides of the log. The smaller the log, the faster the travel and oscillations.

The barker, equipped with Vickers controls and pumps powered by Allis-Chalmers electric motors, operates at 1400-1500 psi hydraulic pressure. This high-pressure water is applied by slotted jets, one in each of the side arms and one mounted on control arm under which the logs pass.

**WHAT HAPPENS AFTER BARKING . . .** Debarked logs emerge from the barker onto concave receiving rolls. Sawlogs are ejected (to the right) onto a transfer leading to a flat bullchain serving four of the mill's five headrigs. Sawlogs over 20-ft. long are bucked to length with an overhead circular cut-off saw located behind the barker.

Pulp logs, which can be handled in lengths to and including 33-ft., are ejected from receiving rolls to a short transfer leading away from rolls at opposite side of the sawlog transfer. This pulp-log transfer terminates at a feed chain leading directly to the horizontal-feed 8-knife Hansel chip-

per. The machine uses 28-in. knives which are so positioned that once they engage the log they tend to pull it into the chipper at a rate somewhat faster than the 90 fpm travel of the feed chain.

Chips fall by gravity, as they are produced, into a conveyor leading to a central screening section. As result of adding the new chipper, two 4 x 10-ft. Link-Belt screens were installed here, making a total of six screens. Accept chips are transported by belt conveyor to silos at the pulp mill.

Bark from all three debarkers is drained of water and converted into shredded fuel by passing it through a Jeffrey hammer hog powered by 200 hp electric motor. According to Mr. Kauffman, this bark processing presented problems in that the shredded material tended to plug up the hog instead of dropping free. Removing all bars of the hog but the first four turned out to be the solution for this plant, which debarks logs of all seven commercial conifers native to the area.

**ONLY ONE OPERATOR . . .** This modern barker-chipper installation requires one operator per shift to control the receiving rolls, cut-off saw, kickers, chipper feed chain and be in general charge of the section. Two men work on the pond each shift to sort logs and feed them to the barker.

Production capacity for debarking logs and converting them into pulp chips is rated at 100M bd. ft. per shift and production is on two-shift basis. The pulp-log production averages about 80M per shift, however, as result of intermingled sawlogs. The lumber department figures 1,000 bd. ft. log measure equal to 2.25 units of chips.



Shown here is the new Hansel 112" horizontal feed, whole log chipper now operating at Potlatch Forests, Inc., Lewiston, Idaho.

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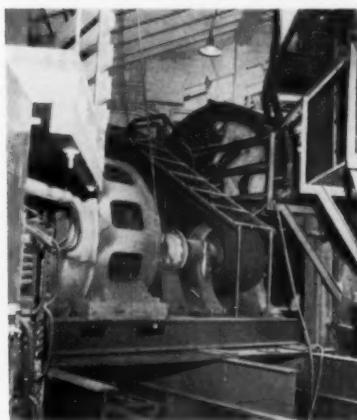
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**INSTALLATION AT POTLATCH . . .**  
(Left) The Hansel 112-in. 8-knife whole-log chipper (top center) sits adjacent to arm-barker of same make (right) at Potlatch.



**Big Locomotives for Logging**

Two new 120 ton 1200 hp Baldwin-Lima-Hamilton diesel-electric locomotives for the Clallam County (Wash.) logging railroad for Rayonier Inc. completed a cross-country trip from Philadelphia, which included not only the rail haul but an 18-hour barge ride from Seattle to Sekiu, Wash. The barge trip was necessary because the logging railroad is 50 miles from nearest outside rail connection. To unload the locomotives (cost \$120,000 each) a grid was built which allowed the engines to be run directly from the barges onto the railroad. Sekiu is the main log dump of the Rayonier railroad which brings logs to the Strait of Juan de Fuca for distribution to the company's chemical cellulose mill in Port Angeles and to Puget Sound log centers. These are the first diesel-electric engines used on Rayonier logging operations. They will move logs from truck-reload assembly points to Sekiu, replacing 4 of the 8 steam locomotives presently used.

### Rayonier Adds Timberlands

Rayonier Inc. outbid a number of other firms to buy assets of the old Bay City Lumber Co. on Grays Harbor, Wash. Included in the purchase are an estimated 34 million bd. ft. of timber. Total price paid for timber and mill properties was \$866,000.

### Progress in "Hare Deterrence"

Fewer rabbits and less damage to established and new plantations is reported by Oscar Levin, forester for South Olympic Tree Farm, with headquarters at Shelton, Wash. Control work was intensified when it was first realized that hungry hares were destroying so many seedlings. Foresters wondered if artificial reforestation was feasible.

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## Pulpwood Personals

ARTHUR W. GREELEY, regional forester in Alaska since 1953, will become regional forester for the North Central Region of the Forest Service at Milwaukee, Wis. He succeeds H. DEAN COCHRAN, who retires Oct. 31. . . . PERCY D. HANSON, now regional forester for the Northern Region, will transfer to Juneau, Alaska, and CHARLES L. TEBBE, regional forester for the Eastern Region since 1952, will succeed Mr. Hanson at Missoula, Mont. . . . JOSEPH F. PECHANEC, chief of Range Management Research for the Forest Service, has been promoted to director of the Southeastern Forest and Range Experiment Station at Asheville, N. C., succeeding ELWOOD L. DEMMON, director there since 1951.

JERRY G. WILLIAMS, a grad of Michigan State U. with a master's degree in forestry, has been named asst. district forester of Crossett Co.'s Tensas District . . . LEONARD R. HOWARD II, recently graduated from the Yale School of Forestry, is a new member of Crossett's Forestry Division. He is a Connecticut native and earned a master's degree at Yale . . . Gair Woodlands Corp. of Savannah, Ga., has awarded two four-year forestry scholarships to WILLIAM E. PATTERSON of Metter, Ga., and WILLIAM R. TRULUCK of Suwannee Co., Fla. Both winners will attend the U. of Ga.

MALCOLM ARMSTRONG, forester with Armstrong Forest Co., recently moved from Willsboro, N.Y. operations to Johnsonburg, Pa., and bought a brick house just outside town for his wife and four children (2 of each). . . .

R. E. "DUKE" HAYNES, land management manager, West Virginia Pulp and Paper Co.'s southern operations, is building a house in Summerville, S.C. It will be a "modified ranch type with inside plumbing" PULP & PAPER was told. . . .

JIM McWILLIAM, forester, Queensland Forest Service, Australia, is now working hard on his ph.d. in forest genetics at Yale. . . . MARK HAMLIN, chief, purchased wood unit, Brown Co., Berlin, N.H., weekends to his camp at Maidstone Lake, Vt. He recently won the Colebrook Golf Tournament with a low net of 34. . . . JOHN BORK, assistant general logging supt., spent his vacation moving his family from Gorham to their new home in Berlin. . . . MAURICE QUINN, woods engineer, and his family vacation at his camp at Cedar Pond. . . . DICK McANINCH has transferred from the Shelton, Wash., office of Simpson Logging Co., where he was assistant forester, to the Simpson Paper Co., Everett, where he joins Head Wood Buyer JAMES C. HAYES and assistant JOE ROBINSON.

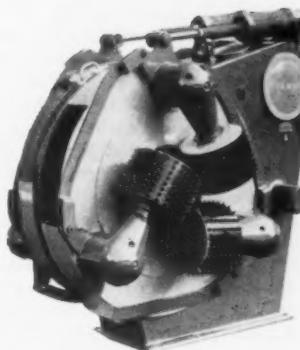
## Cooperation of Industry With Fish Commission

This industry's spirit of cooperation sometimes involves it in projects seemingly far afield. For example, the Oregon Fish Commission set up a 20-power tripod-mounted "spotting scope" on Crown Zellerbach Corp.'s West Linn mill during spring high water to facilitate the counting of salmon and steelhead passing upstream through the fish ladder at Willamette Falls.

## Longview Fibre Co. Sets Up Scholarships

R. S. Wertheimer, vice president and resident manager of Longview Fibre Co., announces a \$25,000 scholarship program to provide assistance during the next five years to qualified students in chemistry and chemical and mechanical engineering, to be administered by selected schools—State College of Washington, Oregon State College and University of Washington.

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**Notes from Northeast**

**J. M. TUCKER, JR.**, formerly with Buckeye Cellulose Corp. at Memphis, Tenn., is now associated with Stone & Webster Engineering Corp. in Boston. . . . **LEONARD A. WASSELLE** and **C. W. CHURCHILL, JR.**, are manager and asst. mgr., respectively of the new Boston office of Rust Engineering Co., located at 1065 Main St., Waltham (Boston 54). Mr. Wasselle was formerly with Rust's home office in Pittsburgh. Mr. Churchill, of Lowell, Mass., has been with the firm for eight years and will reside in Weston. . . .

**JACK HIERLIHY**, mill manager, Fraser Paper Ltd.'s Madawaska, Me., mill, recently received a gold watch for 25-years service. **JIM CONLEY**, general sales manager, is another 25-year man with Fraser. **JIM REED**, bond paper mill supt., at latest reports, held fishing honors at the mill for his 18-lb. toge. . . .

**JAMES C. HODGETTS**, formerly professor of industrial management at Rider College, Trenton, N. J., is now training supervisor for plants of Robert Gair Co., Inc. . . . **PAUL W. HOREYSECK**, formerly manager of the American Coating Mills Div. board mill at Middletown, O., has been promoted to supt. of the board mill of the Gair Cartons Div., Piermont, N. Y. He's a grad of the U. of Maine. **WALTER R. O'KEEFE, JR.**, replaces him as manager at Middletown and **HENRY G. BOOTH** becomes assistant supt. of the board mill at Thames River. . . .

**EDWARD S. COE, JR.**, vice president, Farrel-Birmingham, has been named general manager of its Consolidated Machine Tool Div., Rochester, N. Y. . . . **JOHN T.**

**HEGEMAN**, assistant manager of Brown Co.'s kraft and sulfite mills at Berlin, N. H., is now production manager. He's a grad of Worcester Polytechnic Institute and served as exec officer of a subchaser in the Pacific during WWII. . . . **THEODORE M. BROWN**, technical supervisor, Burgess (sulfite) mill, is now control supt. of the two mills at Berlin.

A familiar face at Berlin these days is that of **GEORGE A. RICHTER**, who recently retired as supt. of wood cellulose div., Eastman Kodak Co., and has rejoined Brown Co. as research consultant. Mr. Richter, world famous cellulose expert, was director of research for Brown from 1919 to 1940 when he left to join Kodak. At Brown he pioneered in all the present techniques of producing highly purified pulps from sulfite and sulfate bases. He also developed the sulfite pulping of hardwoods and their use in dissolving grades, the first use of free chlorine and alkali buffered bleach, high brightness bleached kraft and sulfate alpha grades. While at Brown he also pioneered the use of purified woodpulp in photographic papers. He holds some 400 patents in the pulp, paper and allied fields. He will now work with **GEORGE A. DAY**, technical director and **DOUGLAS H. McMURTRIE**, research director.

**ROBERT W. McNEALLY**, assistant to **ED LINCOLN**, safety director, S. D. Warren Co., Cumberland Mills, succeeds the latter on his retirement. . . . **J. L. OBER**, retired vice pres., Scott Paper Co., was re-elected president, U. of Maine Pulp & Paper Foundation. **WALLACE E. PARSON**, president, Keyes Fibre Co., and **FREDERIC A. SODERBERG**, vice pres., F. C. Huyck & Sons, were re-elected vice presidents. **HENRY W.**

**FALES**, vice pres. and general mgr., St. Croix Paper Co., and **RALPH A. WILKINS**, vice pres., Bird & Son, Inc., were re-elected secretary and treasurer, respectively. New members of the board are **ROBERT R. HOWARTH**, exec vice pres., Columbia Box Board Mills, Inc., and **DIONG D. UONG**, vice pres., Fitchburg Paper Co. **A. G. DURGIN**, retired exec of the St. Lawrence Corp., Ltd., East Angus, Que., was appointed traveling rep. . . .

A reader just pointed out a line o' type or two was dropped out of the caption when we ran the picture of **GORDON K. STORIN** back in August and he is not chairman of Titanium Pigment Co. Mr. Storin is with Hooker Electrochemical Co. and he has been elected chairman of the Empire State TAPPI Section. The missing line or two told how he succeeded **WILLIAM R. WILLETTS** of Titanium Pigment as chairman of the section. And Bill Willets is not chairman of Titanium, either, as his good friends all know! But we didn't say that, thank goodness.

**Southern Sidelights**

**BUFF NATWICK**, vice pres. and res. mgr. of East Texas Pulp & Paper Co., enjoyed a recent vacation in San Francisco but Mrs. N. had to work while they were out there—she was an official delegate-at-large from Texas to the Republican Convention . . . Mr. and Mrs. **BILL WEBSTER** back at National Container in Jax after their tour of Europe. Bill combined business with pleasure, visiting foreign mills while on his vacation. He goes to work now on the new expansion at Jacksonville. . . . speaking of traveling, ex-papermakers aren't hard to find when you are on the road. **GEORGE (WHITEY) INGERT**, onetime supt. at Union Bag and a former paperman at Florida Pulp & Paper (now St. Regis at Pensacola), Container Corp. of America's South American plant and other big paper mills, is now operating a motel at Hilliard, Ga. His son is a tour foreman at St. Regis. Whitey's motel is the Will-O-Ray. The paper industry is still in his blood—he spends his spare time designing new gadgets for paper equipment.

**W. D. ARBUTHNOT**, who joined Robert Gair's Fibre Board Container Div. at Richmond, Va., in 1941 as a member of the Industrial Engineering staff and rose to supt. of the mill, recently was made asst. mgr. . . . **JOHN M. EAGAN**, asst. plant supt. at Hercules Powder Co. Gibbstown plant, has been appointed plant mgr. of the Savannah, Ga., Paper Makers Chemical Dept. He began his



**RICHTER RETURNS TO BROWN** . . . **GEORGE A. RICHTER** (center), Research Director from 1919 to 1940, has rejoined Brown Co., Berlin, N. H., as Research Consultant. DR. **GEORGE A.**

**DAY** (left) is Technical Director at Brown, after serving as Research Director for 12 years, and **DOUGLAS H. McMURTRIE** (right) is new Research Director.

career with Hercules in 1939 as a chemist at Hercules Research Center near Wilmington, Del.

**H. D. SHOPE**, known to friends at International Paper as "the country boy," was honored in Pine Bluff, Ark., by more than a hundred friends, co-workers and admirers who treated him to a steak dinner at the Hotel Pines, made him an honorary citizen of Pine Bluff and presented him with a sterling silver service. He is chief water and location engineer on the new IP newsprint mill at Pine Bluff . . . Congratulations to **W. PAUL TINDALL** who retired as senior engineer of Ecusta Paper Corp. after 17 years service. He joined Ecusta in 1939 as a mechanical engineer, later became asst. plant engineer and then senior engineer . . . **P. D. SIMPSON** has been named Safety coordinator in the personnel div. at Gulf States Paper Corp. . . . and **W. O. STEPHEN**, former safety coordinator, transferred to plant engineering as engineering supervisor.

**HAYWARD L. GARNER**, formerly with J. M. Huber Corp. at Huber, Ga., has been named purchasing agent for Cameron & Barkley Co., with offices in Jacksonville, Florida's Prudential Building . . . **K. G. CHESLEY**, director of research at the Crossett Co., has been appointed to the Arkansas Committee on Nuclear Energy by the state governor. Aim of the group is to explore potential uses of nuclear energy for the state . . . **CROSSETT CO.**, incidentally, will sponsor broadcasts of all Univ. of Arkansas football games via radio this fall . . . Two new faces at Crossett: **DONALD R. KAYSER**, who graduated from Harvard Business School last June with a master's degree in business administration, has joined the company's executive training program and **RICHARD H. EGGLINGTON**, formerly with Laurin-Jones Co., has been named asst. sales manager under Jack Mulholland.

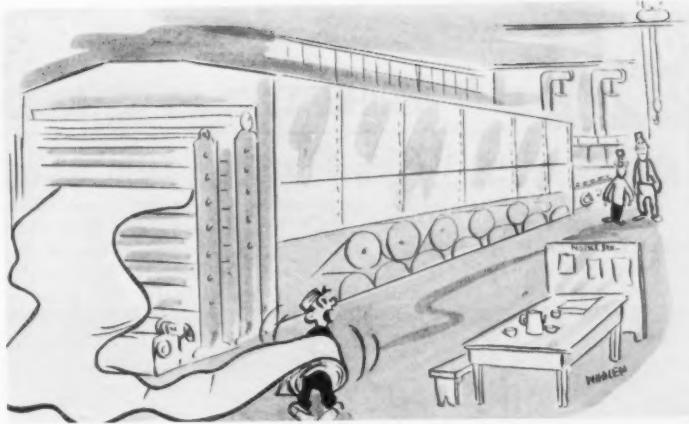
**JACK S. SMITH**, head instrument man at the IP Natchez mill, has been transferred to Mobile, Ala., to take over as assistant to the power plant supt. in charge of mill instrumentation. He came

#### INDUSTRY OF OPPORTUNITY AND OF MANY NEW KEY POSITIONS

Wherever we can obtain the information, PULP & PAPER would like to report how the men who are being promoted to bigger jobs started out in the industry.

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to Natchez from the Camden mill in 1949 and was formerly with the Southern Electrical Pipefitting Corp. . . . IP also announced four other new promotions: **H. M. REED, JR.**, has been appointed plant engineer at Springhill, La., replacing **W. J. CHASTANT**, who goes to Pine Bluff for work on the newsprint mill; **HARRIS K. WILLIAMS**, onetime safety dir. at Camden, promoted to the divisional staff of the Industrial Relations Dept. as assistant to **GEORGE MERRIMAN**, div. coordinator of safety; **DALE F. JANES** promoted to safety dir. at Camden, filling Mr. Williams' spot and **G. C. (SAM) GREENE** moves up to safety dir. at Panama City, filling vacancy left when **FRED BRADSHAW** transferred to Pine Bluff . . . **H. CURRIE**, formerly in charge of New Orleans Bag-pak sales of International Paper, is now Southern Regional sales mgr., with offices in New Orleans.

**ARTHUR J. MANNING**, 68, general purchasing agent for Union Bag-Camp Corp., died Aug. 20. A native of New York City, he joined Union Bag in 1916 and became purchasing agent in 1936.



In South for Perkins-Goodwin

**JAMES G. CLARKE** (left), with Southland Paper Mills, Inc., Lufkin, Texas, since 1940, and most recently as Supt., finishing and shipping, and **GEORGE N. GUTHRIE** (right), printing craftsman for many years with the Arkansas Gazette, Little Rock, Ark., have joined Perkins-Goodwin Co.'s sales and service staff at Lufkin.

#### Midwest Medley

**LEWIS BREYFOGLE**, 86 years old, a "grand old man" of the selling circuit in the Middle West, died Aug. 21 at his home in Kalamazoo. He started in the industry as a cutter boy in the old Randall and Edsell Mill at Stratford, O., in 1884, and 48 years ago became a superintendent in Kalamazoo. Ten years later he joined Draper Brothers Co. and sold their felts for 38 years. . . .

**HENRY BONGERS** has succeeded **FRED WEIRICH**, retired, as assistant supt. at Division 4, Sutherland Paper Co., Kalamazoo. **AARON HOBAUGH**, night supt. at both 4 and 7, succeeded Mr. Bongers as asst. supt. of Division 7. Tour boss **KEN CHRISTIAN** replaced Mr. Hobaugh. . . .

**L. E. PHENNER**, formerly pres., Celucotton div., **A. D. WILKINSON**, director of industrial relations, and **F. H. WERLING**, mgr. of mills, are new vice presidents of Kimberly-Clark Corp. **G. KENNETH CROWELL**, a vice pres. and director, was named secretary. K-C's board named **D. R. BEAMAN**, asst. vice pres., and **ROGER A. BAIRD**, company attorney, was designated as an asst. secretary. . . . **DAVID MUTHLER**, mgr. Mead Board Sales Inc., Detroit office, has been elected asst. vice pres. He was formerly asst. sls. mgr. in the Detroit area and has been in charge there since 1953. . . .

**M. C. FAIRFIELD** has been promoted to gen. sls. mgr., **KENNETH A. MacINTOSH** to dealer sls. mgr., **CLIFF LARSON** to ind. sls. mgr., and **U. L. PLAIN** to dir. commercial research—all of the Insulite Div. of M&O Paper Co. . . . **G. H. CLIPPINGER**, asst. treas. and credit mgr., has retired after 50 years of continuous service to become the first employee in Ohio Boxboard's history to establish a half-century record. He was presented an engraved metal tablet at the seventh annual plant picnic held at Chippewa Lake Park. . . .

**FRANK R. WALSCH**, gen. mgr. and

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CLOY K. CROUSE, sls. mgr., Consolidated Water Power & Paper Co., Ahdawagam Div. (paperboard boxes, cartons, tubes), Wisconsin Rapids, have announced plans to retire from active management duties. Both have agreed to continue to serve Consolidated in advisory capacities. GROFF COLLETT has been appointed the new gen. mgr., Ahdawagam Div. WALLACE E. SYDANMAA

will be the new plant mgr., and ROBERT E. ROKUS has been appointed sls. mgr., succeeding Mr. Crouse. . . . JACK LEFEBVRE, Charmin Paper Mills, Detroit district mgr., is the proud father of a new daughter, Valerie Jean, born July 13. Jack, by the way, is a 13th child of a family of 13 children, was born on the 13th hour of the 13th day. . . . F. H. ORBISON, pres. Appleton Woolen Mills, is



**Promotions at Green Bay**

Green Bay Box Co. and Green Bay Paper & Pulp Co. announced these changes: Former Treasurers of both companies, ELMER L. CARLSON (left) has been named Exec. Asst. to Pres. Geo. F. Kress, FREDERICK F. KRESS (middle), Asst. Treas. of Green Bay Paper & Pulp Co., now becomes its Treasurer; and MAX O. SIELAFF (right), Asst. Treas. at Green Bay Box Co., is named its Treasurer.

general chairman of the Appleton 1956 Community Fund. . . .

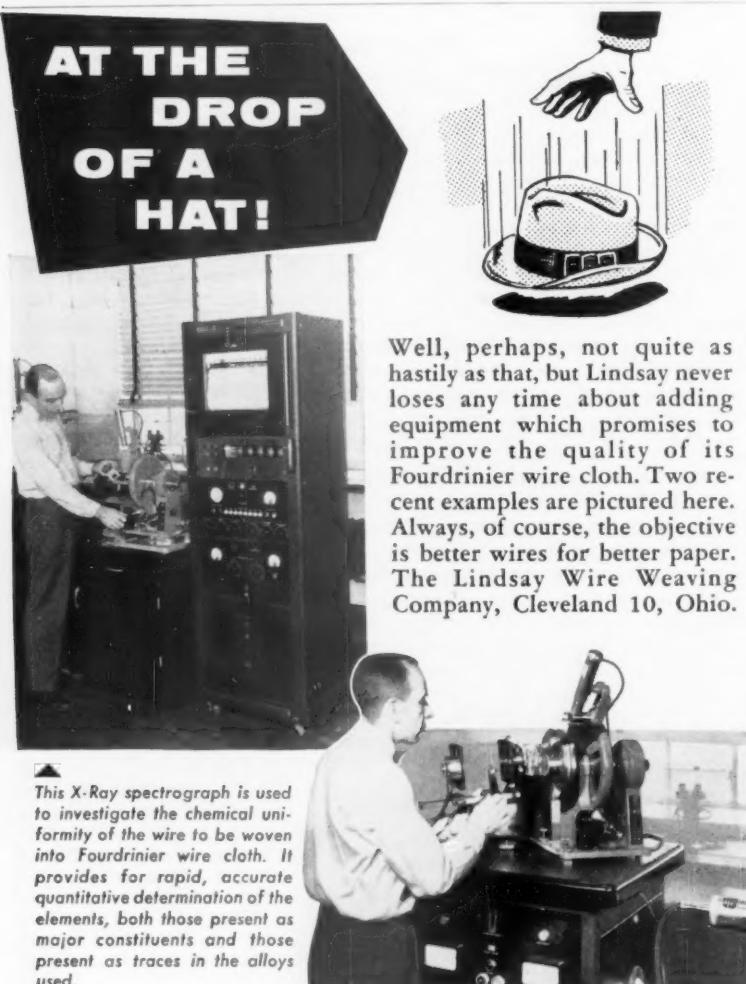
W. A. KIRKPATRICK, vice pres. of Allied Paper Mills, new division of Thor Corp., was chairman for the Sept. 27-28 TAPPI De-Inking conference at Kalamazoo. . . . J. A. DEAN of Michigan Paper Co., Plainwell, arranged for mill visits and local arrangements. . . . EARL WEAVER, manager of purchases of International Paper, New York, was down for a talk on the aims of the Waste Paper Utilization Council and RALPH KUMLER, Council director and retired American Cyanimid technical director, was leader of a panel from east and midwest plants of printing, paper and adhesive industries, discussing those nasty substances that are making new problems for de-inkers. . . . MARSHALL RUTZ, KVP Co., Michigan Supts. chairman, and his cohorts leading that group, held a recent session to plan future programs. . . .

GEORGE STEINER, of Champion's Ohio division, Hamilton, O., passes on this tip to you card players—make your worn cards look like new by cleaning them with camphor. . . .

**Far West Flashes**

CORYDON WAGNER, president of St. Paul & Tacoma Lumber Co., major producer of chips for the St. Regis Tacoma mill, defeated ED EISENHOWER, St. Regis director and brother of the President, for the Pacific Northwest Seniors golf championship in Victoria, B.C. Two fellow Tacoma residents, who normally play "friendly" matches at home on Sundays, found themselves pitted against each other in the 1956 seniors finals. . . .

GUY V. EMERSON, veteran pulp mill supt., Crown Z, Port Townsend, Wash., has been on loan to the Elk Falls Co. Ltd. mill at Duncan Bay, B.C., helping start up its 450 ton kraft pulp addition, where "noodle" pulp is made for tanker transport to Crown's new Antioch, Calif., mill.



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LEONE RICHMAN, who welcomes visitors to Port Townsend at the reception desk, is daughter of CLAUDE MAULDING, paper mill tour foreman at Port Townsend and a key man there since the mill started up in 1927. . . .

Old friends of the HALVAR LUNDBERGS (he is veteran consulting chemical engineer in Seattle) will be interested in knowing their youngest daughter, ANNE-MARIE, has landed a job in Stockholm as nurse in the Carolinska Hospital and her parents will be visiting her there in November. Older sister, HARRIET, married and living in Denver, now has four children. . . . BRIAN SHERA, PennSalt Co., Tacoma, Wash., and wife, MERLE, saw a son graduate from Yale and then made a long motor trip through Mexico on way home. He helped Dr. Cusi, Scott Paper's partner in Mexico, solve some technical problems while there. . . .

#### Kep Pratt's Boy Burned

Old friends in South and new friends in West will be interested to know that one of two sons of S. KEPPEL PRATT, general supt., St. Regis Paper Co., Tacoma, Wash., is fully recovering from burns when a shirt he was wearing caught afire from a stove and virtually burned up on him. Fortunately the burns were not serious enough to require surgery. The Pratt family is buying a new home in Lakewood, suburb of Tacoma.

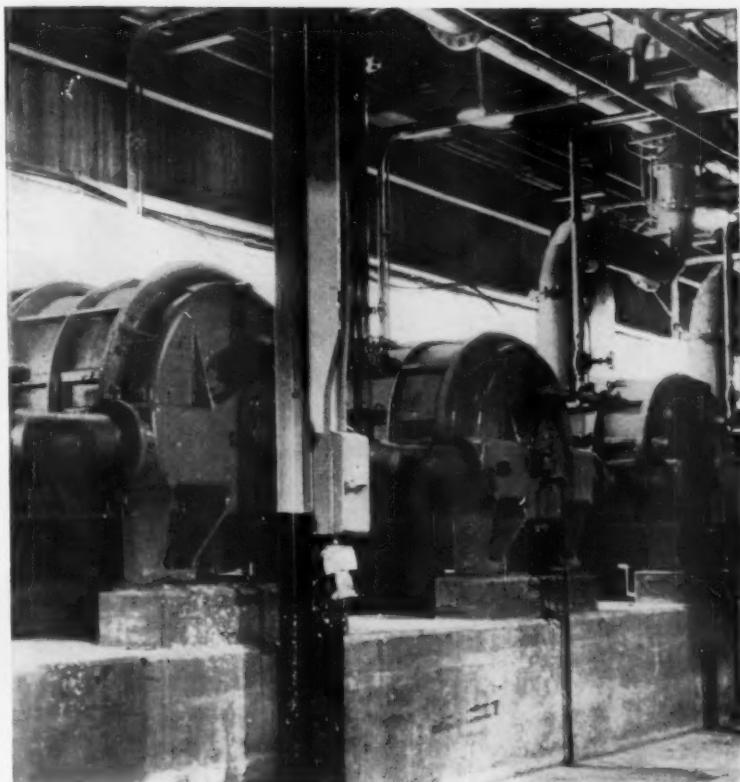
A native Pennsylvanian and Carnegie Tech graduate, Mr. Pratt was formerly with West Virginia P&P in Covington, Va., and with St. Regis in Jacksonville. His job is a newly created one at Tacoma, between Res. Mgr. JACK LAMB and Pulp Supt. MARK BRADLEY and Paper Supt. SIDNEY DOLAN. ARVIN SORENSEN is plant engineer, AL CADIGAN is tech. director and ROBERT DeLONG is in charge of wood procurement.



Asst. Res. Mgrs. for CZ

JOHN M. MILLER (left), Mgr. of Maintenance and Engr. at CZ mill, Camas, is new Asst. Res. Mgr. of Port Townsend mill. He has been with CZ 10 years. New Asst. Res. Mgr. at Camas is C. RAYMOND DAHL (middle), previously Asst. Res. Mgr. at St. Helens. He joined Crown in 1950 as an industrial engineer. CHARLES WHEELER (right), former Tech. Asst. to Paper Mill Supt. (wrapping) at Camas, has moved to Port Angeles as Asst. Res. Mgr. He joined Camas tech. dept. in 1942.

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**LEO ZIEL** is one of only three managers in the 29-year history of the Port Townsend kraft mill. **AL LAYTON**, now vice president of CZ, was the first, from 1927-1932. **EINAR ERICKSON**, also now a CZ vice president, was manager from 1932 to 1947. Mr. Ziel is the youngest of 16 key men now at Townsend who have been there since before its startup. He went to work at the kraft mill within a year after he had made Pacific Coast

sports fame as a surefooted drop-kicking star and halfback at the U. of Washington. He became assistant resident manager in 1938 and manager in 1947. . . .

**LEONARD ZIEL, JR.**, better known as "Buzzie," out of the army (he served 16 months in Germany), has been working in the personnel dept., Port Townsend, but enters Seattle University this fall. **TED DRAKE**, asst. plant engineer at Port Townsend, is president of the Pt.



**In West Coast News**

**JOHN W. (BILL) ANDERSON** (left), Personnel and Safety Supervisor, Crown Zellerbach, Port Townsend, Wash., kraft mill division, has been transferred to the Camas, Wash., mill to serve as Acting Men's Personnel Supervisor, owing to extended illness of J. P. Phillips. Mr. Anderson had previously been on the Camas Staff.

**JOHN L. WILLIAMS** (right) became Vice Pres.-Gen. Mgr. of Fabri-Valve Co. of America, Portland, Ore., in recent reorganization of the organization which has become one of nation's leading producers of fabricated valves. L. R. Hussa continues as President. Fabri-Valve is an affiliate of Albine Engine & Machine Works, Inc., Portland, Ore.

George Salmon Fishing Club, which boasts of 170 members, many being mill workers. . . .

**FRAN FLYNN**, whose appointment as the new manager of the Crown Z newsprint mill at Port Angeles, was recently announced, has found a home there for his family at 103 West 13th, and he has already got himself accustomed to horse back riding on the Olympic Mt. trails. He and wife Isobel, and son, recently visited her retired farming parents in eastern Washington. When Mr. Flynn, Minnesota graduate, came west in depression years and started in this industry in the Camas mill he had only seen a few mills before—as a student visitor in Appleton. He credits **WARD HARRISON**, Riegel vice president and now a top TAPPI sachem, with wooing him to the western industry, through mutual family friends. Dr. Harrison was then working at Camas. . . .

Perhaps it is time we recapped the top personnel at Crown Z's Port Angeles mill for our readers. Next, under Mr. Flynn, is the new asst. manager, **O. C. (Charley) WHEELER**, also from Camas. Another former associate of Mr. Flynn at Camas is **JOHN GRILL**, who has been purchasing agent at Port Angeles for a couple years. **JACK REINERS** is new paper mill supt.; **ORVILLE CAUVEL**, the veteran sulfite supt., who came there many years ago as chief chemist; **CLAIRE MCCORMICK** is groundwood supt.; **LES WARWICK**, plant engineer; **JIM WENGER**, technical supervisor; **LESLIE DAY**, office manager; **LOUIS SPICER**, personnel and safety supervisor; and **GEORGE CHRISTIANSEN** is his assistant. Mr. Spicer's father, retired, was for many years a key man at Port Angeles. . . .

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## Column from Canada

**T. R. MOORE**, formerly general manager and director of Anglo-Newfoundland Development Co. and general manager of Anglo-Canadian Pulp & Paper Co., has been made a vice president. **W. E. SOLES**, vice president and general manager, Anglo-Canadian, and **JAMES O'HALLORAN**, chief engineer of Anglo-Canadian, have been made directors of Anglo-Newfoundland. . . . **LAWRENCE M. BURNS**, former production mgr. for Brown Co., Berlin, N. H., is mill mgr. for the recently organized Thurso Pulp & Paper Co., whose \$16,000,000 200-ton bleached sulfate mill is now under construction. . . .

Following acquisition of Mersey Paper Co. by the Bowater organization several executive and administrative changes were announced. **SIR ERIC BOWATER**, is chairman; **B. J. WATERS**, president and general mgr.; **R. L. SEABORNE**, vice pres. and woodlands mgr.; **J. H. M. JONES**, vice pres. and mill mgr., and **J. A. PARKER**, vice pres. and secretary-treasurer. The new asst. paper mill supt. is **LEO KELLY**, born in New Hampshire and well known on the Pacific coast. . . .

**C. T. McMURRAY**, senior vice pres., Minnesota & Ontario Paper Co., and formerly resident mgr. at its mills in Canada and the U. S., has retired. . . . **ROY CAMPBELL**, secretary of Canadian International Paper Co., has been awarded a special citation for "civic mindedness" by the International Association of Personnel. He was formerly mayor of Westmount, Que. . . . **ROBERT KIRKPATRICK**, night mill supt. at Baie Comeau mill of Quebec North Shore Paper Co., has been promoted to paper mill supt., Ontario Paper Co. in Thorold, Ont. . . .

**C. J. CARTER**, Great Lakes Paper Co., is the new chairman of the Midwest Technical branch of Canadian Pulp and Paper Association, succeeding **E. E. VALILEE**, Provincial Paper Co. **T. C. LUCK**, Abitibi Power & Paper Co., is vice chairman, and **KEN MacKAY**, Great Lakes Paper Co., secretary treasurer. Mill representatives appointed were **E. T. CHARNOCK**, Great Lakes; **ROY SMITH**, Provincial; **ALEX FLEMING**, Abitibi, Fort William; **STEVE TKACH**, Abitibi, Port Arthur; **W. E. HAVILAND**, Dryden Paper Co.; **LLOYD WILLIAMS**, Marathon Paper Mills; **H. M. LACEY**, Ontario-Minnesota Pulp & Paper, Kenora; **E. L. HOLMES**, Ontario-Minnesota, Fort Frances; **L. EEMAN**, St. Lawrence Corp.

**DR. WILFRED GALLAY**, dir. of research of the E. B. Eddy Co., Hull, Que., won a top cash award for his prize-winning Bolton contest essay, which was presented to him by **HAIGH M. REININGER**, vice pres. in charge of sales of John W. Bolton & Sons, Inc., Lawrence, Mass. at the Chateau Laurier, Ottawa.

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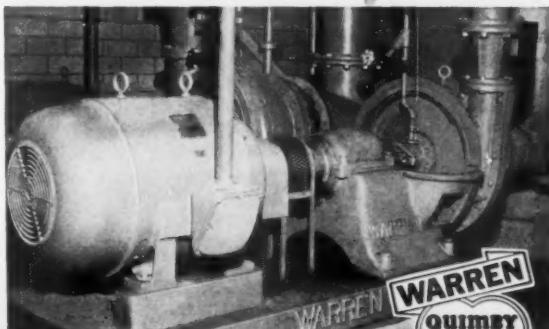
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**Elected Exec V.P. of  
E. D. Jones & Sons**

DWIGHT E. JONES, newly elected Executive Vice President of E. D. Jones & Sons Co. His selection is announced by S. Harley Jones, President, as a result of the retirement of Henry H. Williams, who has been with the company more than 46 years and Executive V.P. since 1947. Mr. and Mrs. Williams have recently purchased a house in Vero Beach, Fla., where they will make their home during the winter months.

Dwight E. Jones joined the firm in 1920 as a part-time employee while in school. He graduated from Worcester Polytechnic Institute in 1928. He then started special work on cost analysis, was Asst. Supt. in 1930, Supt. and Purchasing Agent in 1933, Acting Chief Engineer in 1935, Chief Engineer in 1939, Vice President i/c Eng. and Mfg. in 1940, and Vice President in 1953. He has been a director since 1939.

## Draper Celebrates, Starts 2nd 100 Years

Draper Brothers Co., Canton, Mass., has been rather conservatively referring in recent "ads" in PULP & PAPER that it is 100 years old. So P&P wrote Ralph E. Briggs, sales manager, suggesting there must be a story behind this record of business longevity.

Mr. Briggs, a master of under-statement, hinted there just might be a story in due course. The "story" struck the town of Canton this past summer like an Armistice Day and a newly elected U.S. President's victory celebration rolled in one.

More than 850 employees, former employees and families feasted on clams, lobster, chicken, ham, etc. in the biggest outdoor dinner in the history of Canton, followed by a big ball in the evening, professional entertainment from New York, and much jubilation throughout.

John H. Draper, Jr., president and treasurer; Walter S. Draper, vice president; Paul A. Draper, director of

the board, and Roger Williams Jr., secretary, joined hands to cut a huge birthday cake.

Member of a famous textile trade family in Melbourne, England, Thomas Draper, moved to America in 1846 and established himself in Chelsea, Mass., to make fancy woolen goods. He moved the business to Canton in 1851, where he was joined by a younger brother, James, who had made fine lace gloves in Melbourne. In 1856 Thomas died, James then went into business for himself and Thomas's son, John, took over the mill and started the industry known today as Draper Bros.



**A PICNIC AND A 100TH ANNIVERSARY . . .** They were dressed for fun and celebrating when this picture was snapped of WALTER S. DRAPER (left), Vice Pres., and JOHN H. DRAPER JR. (right), President and Treas., top officers of 100-year-old Draper Brothers Co., manufacturers of Draper felts.

## Coating Conference Set

The 8th annual Coating Conference sponsored by TAPPI will be in Milwaukee May 20-23, 1957. Theme is "Manufacturing and Processing of Coated Paper and Board."

The conference is to include visits to printing and converting plants and paper and coating mills in the Appleton, Wis., area.

Jack E. Wilber, St. Regis Paper Co., is general chairman; Frank Kaulakis, Consolidated Water Power & Paper Co., program chairman; Clark Wakefield, Titanium Pigment Corp., arrangements chairman and Louis E. Georgevits, The Borden Co. publicity chairman.

## Clay Story Reprinted

"Plant Echoes," employee publication of Gould Paper Co., Lyons Falls, N.Y., E. J. Parry, editor, reprinted extensive excerpts with pictures from the "The Clay Story—White Gold in Georgia," which was a major feature of PULP & PAPER last November. The story described the clay mines

and operations of Minerals & Chemicals Corp. of America, J. M. Huber Corp., Thiele Kaolin Co., Southern Clays and Georgia Kaolin Co.

## Harry Bukowsky Retires, Now is Consulting Engineer

Harry E. Bukowsky, plant engineer of Crown Zellerbach Corp.'s big Port Townsend, Wash. for the past 24 years, has retired. But he is going to continue serving Crown Z on a consulting basis and will "hang out his own shingle" as a consulting engineer to the industry at large.

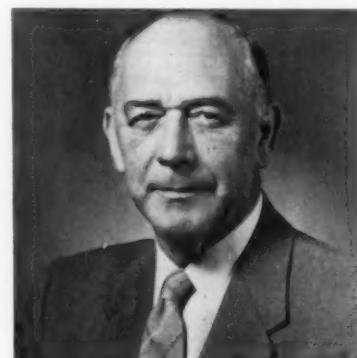
He is debating whether to make his headquarters in Seattle or Portland, Ore. Meanwhile, it will continue to be Port Townsend.

During absences of Leo Ziel, resident manager at Townsend, Mr. Bukowsky has acted as acting resident manager there.

Mr. Bukowsky was a pioneer in development of the revolutionary hydraulic log barking process. There has long been a friendly "debate" as to whether the Bukowsky big log hydraulic barker or the one developed by Weyerhaeuser at Everett was the first—but as to actual startup date (both in 1941), Port Townsend must be given the nod although Weyerhaeuser research went back many years. Mr. Bukowsky also distinguished himself in various other new innovations at Port Townsend and in engineering direction of an extensive modernization and expansion program since the war.

He was born in Milwaukee, Wis., and graduated from U. of Washington, Seattle, in engineering. He served 22 years in engineering posts before joining Crown in 1932. He was chief engineer of Willamette Iron & Steel Co., Portland, Ore., and was with Weyerhaeuser during this period.

The Townsend staff and local friends of Mr. and Mrs. Bukowsky, headed by Mr. Ziel, honored them at a retirement dinner Aug. 27.



**HARRY E. BUKOWSKY**—Veteran pulp and paper engineer "hangs out shingle."

## Heads Western Sales And Service for Clark-Aiken

William R. Perry, of 902 Calle Mira Mar, Redondo Beach, Calif., is new manager in all states west of the Rockies for Clark-Aiken Co., Lee, Mass., manufacturers of paper mill and converting machinery, according to James C. Hart, president of Clark-Aiken.

Plans are to eventually open a Clark-Aiken office in the Los Angeles area.

Mr. Perry, native of St. Louis, first moved to California in 1906 and recalls the earthquake of that year. He was associated with the oil industry, but later got into aircraft, and recently was purchasing agent for the Douglas C-54 plant near Chicago. He first became associated with Clark-Aiken while serving the aircraft industry, but now has taken on full time representation and will give special attention to the pulp and paper converting industries in the Far West.

Clark-Aiken's new Type C super-speed precision cutter layboy unit was exhibited in September at the Packaging Machinery and Materials Exhibition in Cleveland, and this has become one of its featured products.



WILLIAM R. PERRY, newly appointed Western States Manager for Clark-Aiken Co., manufacturers of paper mill machinery. His residence is Redondo Beach, Calif.

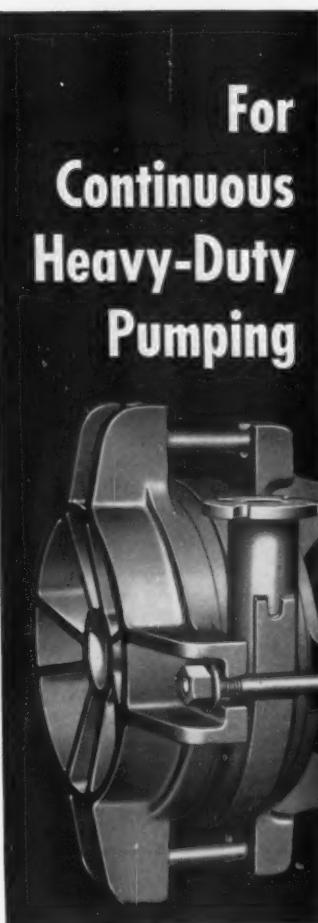


GORDON WHITE, now representing American Key Products' starches in New England.

## American Key Products Appoints Gordon White

Gordon White is new sales and technical service representative for American Key Products, Inc., in New England, handling the company's entire line of starches for the paper and paper converting industries.

Mr. White was technical service rep for A. E. Staley Mfg. Co. for five years, and has had paper mill experience with Champion International Paper Co., Lawrence, Mass. He graduated from Phillips Academy and has a b.s. degree from Brown U.



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**HOW TO PACKAGE AND CARLOAD FOR MAXIMUM PROTECTION** is described in Signode Steel Strapping Co.'s 17th Packaging and Carloading Guide. It's free by writing to Signode at 2600 North Western Ave., Chicago 47, Ill.

**AN AUTOMATIC VIBRATION MONITOR** for protecting rotating equipment is featured in the Beta Corp.'s Bulletin 500-5 on its Model 5 Vibraswitch Malfunction Detector. Write to Beta Corp. at Richmond 26, Va.

**A NEW "ATI" PROPORTIONING AND METERING SYSTEM** is announced by Infilco Inc., Tucson, Ariz., in bulletin 403-1003. The new design is said to provide overall accuracy of 2% plus or minus over range of flow from 100% to 10% of rated capacity for equipment used. Some advantages: maintaining chemical feed in proportion to flow; affords measurement of flow on linear scale; requires no electrical connections in the venturi pit or pipe gallery; allows transmitter to be installed at distances up to 500-ft. from differential producer; uses a transmitter not connected to flow.

**THE MIRACLE OF AUTOMATION** in measuring and controlling paper thick-

ness without touching the material in process is stressed by Donald S. Routh, of Industrial Gauges, West Englewood, N.J. His XactRay Gauge is a non-contact type using an X-ray beam. Variations from a predetermined standard weight, density or thickness can be held to a plus or minus 1%, he says.

**BULK HANDLING AND STORAGE OF PAPER CLAYS** is presented in Minerals & Chemicals Corp. of America's new bulletin, "Typical Data on the Handling and Storage of Paper Clays." In tabular and text form, it has information for papermakers on bulk handling of clays. Objective is to reduce materials handling costs in the paper mill—a class of cost amounting to as much as  $\frac{1}{3}$  total operating costs. A copy is yours, from Menlo Park, N.J.

**NEW, VERSATILE, LABORATORY-TYPE PAPER PROFILER** is reported by Industrial Nucleonics Corp., 1205 Chesapeake Ave., Columbus 12, O. Paper is threaded into rubber rollers which take it past the inspection gauge and a recorder simultaneously records basis-weight variances. The cabinet is on casters.

#### ADVANTAGES OF COLD WATER

**DEAERATORS** and principles of operation and featured by Cochrane Corp., 17th St. below Allegheny, Philadelphia 32, Pa., in its publication 4653. Some advantages listed are: reduces or eliminates corrosion; complete deaeration without heating or cooling; tremendous spilling edge for maximum deaerating efficiency; multiple stage units permit economical deaeration.

**TWO NEW SLITTER-REWINDER** Models are now being built by the Dilts Div., of the Black-Clawson Co. Advantages: optimum control for riding roll down pressure and automatic relief of riding roll down pressure as the rewind roll diameter increases; all controls located at front of machine; backstand is designed for 2 sizes of water-cooled, air-operated brakes for either individual or combined operation for a wide range of paper and board caliper.

**MATERIALS HANDLING AND POWER TRANSMITTING MACHINERY** is featured in a directory by the Link-Belt Co. It has information in research facilities, standard products and engineered equipment, technical literature, etc. Ask for Book 2653.

**LISTING OF THREE POWRWORKER MODELS** of Clark Equipment Co. has been given for type "EE" construction of the "Powrworker" pallet truck, "Powrworker" platform truck and 12-volt "Tugger" towing tractor.

**PROCESS INSTRUMENTS** manufactured by Beckman Instruments, Inc. are listed in bulletin 491. Information on the Beckman, Leak Detector, pH control system, etc. is given. Write to Beckman at Fullerton, Calif.

**A 35-TON MOTO-CRANE**, Model MC530W, has been added to the Lorain line of power shovels and cranes, made by The Shovel Co., Lorain, O.

**CONTINUOUS ENTIRE REEL WIDTH MEASUREMENT** with the Beta Profiler (Isotope Products), as used with the Brown Electronik recorder is described on data sheet 10.9-2. Write to Minneapolis-Honeywell Regulator Co., Wayne and Windrim Aves., Philadelphia 44, Pa.

**MORE THAN 100 INSTRUMENTS**, for measuring, transmitting, receiving, recording and indicating and control components for power and process application are featured in Bulletin G15-1 from Bailey Meter Co., 1050 Ivanhoe Road, Cleveland 10, O.

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**Now Head Moore & White**

JOSEPH P. McTOMMONEY (left) is new president of Moore & White Co., was formerly Vice Pres. Moving in to Vice President's job is WILLIAM E. FREDERICK (right).

tions ranging from internal bonding to surface sizing.

**CONTINUOUS RECAUSTICIZING**, brought up to date, is presented by Dorr-Oliver Inc., in a revised bulletin, "The Dorr Continuous Recausticizing System." Features: description of operations, equipment units and advantages of D-O's continuous recausticizing system for the alkaline pulping process; typical flowsheet, photographs and drawings of the system and each of its components as well as photographs of typical installations. Ask for your copy from D-O at Barry Place, Stamford, Conn.

**A NEW NON-TOXIC, PRESSURE-PROVED, GENERAL-PURPOSE FLEXIBLE PLASTIC PIPE**, Supplex, approved by the National Sanitation Foundation for piping water and other fluids has been announced by American Hard Rubber Co., 93 Worth St., New York 13. Features: low cost, ease and speed in installation and permanence. Others: extremely smooth bore; highly resistant to acids, alkalis and other corrosives.

**GEIGY CHEMICAL CORP. HAS MOVED HEADQUARTERS** from New York City to Saw Mill River Road, Ardsley, N. Y. Geigy is a subsidiary of the Swiss chemical firm, J. R. Geigy, S.A., which has been a pioneer in the field of dyestuffs and auxiliaries for many years. The parent company will celebrate its 200th anniversary in 1958.

**"OZENE" IS NEW TRADE NAME** for the odor suppressant and solvent-cleaner previously called Orthosolv. It is said to be effective for the masking and elimination of odors for a wide variety of sources including sewage treatment, industrial wastes, etc. For additional information, write to Solvay Process Div., Allied Chemical & Dye Corp., 61 Broadway, N.Y. 6.

**PACKAGED CONTROL FOR INDUSTRY** is featured by General Electric in Bulletin GEA-6334 containing application information and special benefits as well as case history for a typical Pan-A-Trol packaged control.



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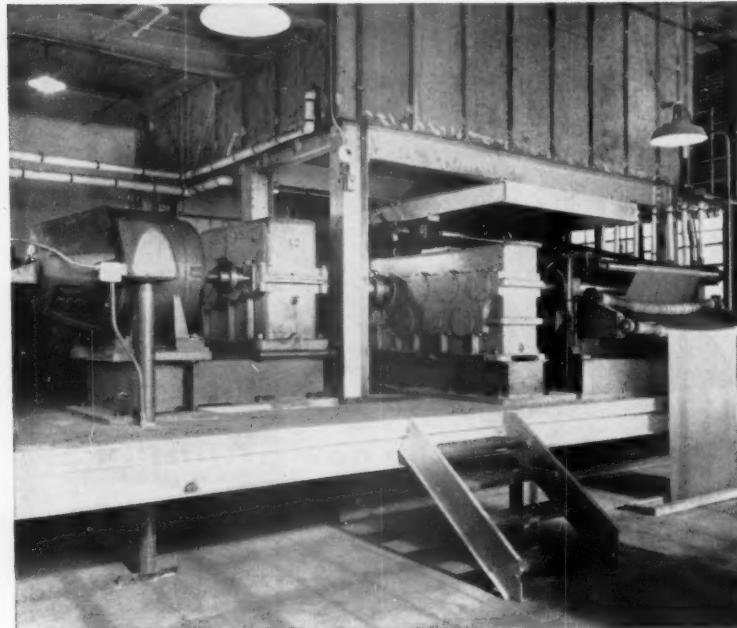
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**ACQUIRES LEAD FIRM** . . . Bunker Hill Co., San Francisco, which has had a controlling interest in Northwest Lead Co., Seattle, since 1931, has now acquired the lead firm. Henceforth, Northwest Lead will be operated as the sales and fabrication division of Bunker Hill. Roger Cutting, NW Lead president, since 1935, is moving from Seattle to San Francisco to become manager of the new division.

**EVAPORATION, CRYSTALLIZATION, FILTRATION, PULP WASHING AND SPRAY DRYING** as a means to reduced costs and improved quality for process industries is presented in "An Open Door" by Swenson Evaporator Co., a division of Whiting Corp. Write for your copy from Swenson, Harvey, Ill.

## Reliance Opens New Offices for Sales

Establishing Rochester as headquarters for Central Western New York district sales and service and opening of additional sales offices of the Reliance Electric & Engineering Co. is announced by C. V. Gregory, manager of district sales at general offices in Cleveland, O.

The Southwestern District, with headquarters in Houston, Tex., has been divided into a Gulf Coast District, directed from the same office, and a new Dallas District.

Other two new offices are in Youngstown, O., and Washington, D. C. To accomplish this expansion, six additional sales engineers who have completed training at the home office have been assigned duties.

William K. Schlotterbeck moves from district manager in Buffalo to head up the new Dallas office, and Walter L. Brehmer, who has been in charge of the sales office in Syracuse, is appointed district manager of the newly created Central Western New York District. Frank A. Denison, district manager in Houston, with Reliance since 1936, heads up the Gulf Coast District. Frank E. Davis will manage the new Mahoning Valley office, reporting to W. W. Spanagel, Cleveland district manager, and Henry A. Cirbee goes to Washington, reporting to K. S. Lord, Philadelphia district manager. Other moves transfer Thomas W. Astle from Buffalo to Rochester, and Donald R. Peterson from Cleveland to Youngstown.

Newly appointed sales engineers are Robert M. Linn to Syracuse; Roger J. Hilarides and Richard G. Emslie, Buffalo; Beaumont D. Stark, Boston; Joel G. King, Jr., Atlanta, Ga.; Alfred W. Fairer, to Charlotte, N. C., and Donald G. Gordon to Birmingham, Ala.



#### DANGER OF EXPANSION

"The danger in a growth industry like ours, where commitments for new capacity must be made at least two, if not three years in advance, is that expansion may result in temporary periods of over-capacity."—RICHARD C. DOANE, president, International Paper Co.

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#### COSTS RISING

"There seems no doubt that the situation in the paper industry on this continent will continue to be good for the remainder of the year. But some factors which give us cause for concern now are wage increases to be met this year and next, increased freight rates and an upward trend in the price of supplies and equipment."—D. W. AMBRIDGE, president, Abitibi Power & Paper Co.

#### PREVENTING WASTE

"Major expansion in pulp capacity will come from the second crop of timber—that is, from the partial harvest during the growing cycle of trees which otherwise would disappear in decay."—HOWARD W. MORGAN, vice president and manager, Pulp Division, Weyerhaeuser Timber Co.

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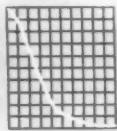
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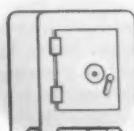
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## NEWS FROM CANADA

### First Tree Nursery Of Kind in Canada

A 10-acre tree nursery to produce a million trees a year for reforestation purposes is being established at the Harrington Forest Farm of Canadian International Paper Co., according to Fred A. Harrison, vice president and woodlands mgr.

Most trees will be distributed, at cost, to the company's wood suppliers. It will be the first large-scale tree nursery operated by a private company in Canada specifically for restocking privately owned woodlots. White spruce, from selected parent trees, and red pine from certain sandy areas unsuitable for spruce, will be reproduced.

**E. P. TAYLOR BECOMES INDUSTRY LEADER** . . . One of Canada's outstanding industrialists, E. P. Taylor of Toronto, has emerged as one of the major powers in that nation's pulp and paper industry.

Until recently Mr. Taylor's sole interest in this field was through his association with B.C. Forest Products, Ltd., now building a \$36,000,000 bleached sulfate mill at Crofton, Vancouver Island. He is chairman of the company's board.

But Mr. Taylor's influence is now being felt in such companies as St. Lawrence Corp., Quebec newsprint, kraft paper and market pulp producer; Price Bros. & Co., Quebec paper and paperboard manufacturer; and Howard Smith Paper Mills, with diversified interests primarily in fine papers.

No one in Canada is interested in such a large scale in so many important industrial enterprises as Mr. Taylor, who is probably better known in the U.S. as owner of a racing stable. Other interests in Canada range from breweries to a grocery chain.

His latest acquisition in the paper field—an interest in Howard Smith Paper Mills—was through the purchase of 30% of its shares in that company by Dominion Tar & Chemical, one of the Taylor group.

**SAFETY AWARD WINNER** . . . Howe Sound pulp division of Canadian Forest Products has been awarded the British Columbia industry's safety award for the second time this year. The mill had an accident-free first half of the year. Martin Paper Products, subsidiary of Powell River Co., was awarded the flag of

the western division, CPPA, for its record of no accidents during the year's second quarter.

**BUILDS BAG PLANT** . . . Continental Paper Products, subsidiary of Canadian International Paper Co., has started construction of a \$500,000 paper bag plant at Regina, Sask. The kraft will be supplied by CIP's La-Tuque, Que., mill.

**PARTY ASKS FOR "STATE" MILL**—J. H. Brockelbank, minister of resources in Saskatchewan's Socialist (C.C.F. party) government, told a party convention in Saskatoon recently that pulp and paper is an industry "best left in the hands of private enterprise."

Saskatchewan, with extensive forest lands, has been trying to leave its lonely status as one of the few Canadian provinces without a mill. The convention passed a resolution asking the government to consider establishing a pulp mill as a state enterprise. Mr. Brockelbank told the delegates it would cost \$30,000,000 or more to build a mill, which would strain the government's resources. He recommended the government continue to try to get private companies to enter the field.

**BIG INVESTMENT IN MACHINES**—While only a few new newsprint machines have been or are currently being installed in Canada, many have been rebuilt or speeded up at substantial cost. Today's newsprint capacity of Canadian mills on the basis of an average 310 work days is 6,064,489 tons per year, compared with 4,672,080 ten years ago, and most of this increase has been accomplished through speeding up existing machines.

The price increase is expected to add about \$30,000,000 a year to its revenue.

### William A. Geiger Dies

William A. Geiger, 46, manager of Weyerhaeuser's Pulp Div., died at Evanston Hospital, Evanston, Ill., Sept. 6, following a long illness. Born in Tacoma, Wash., he became associated with Weyerhaeuser following graduation from Dartmouth College. Bill had many friends in this industry from coast to coast and will be greatly missed. Surviving are his wife, Susan, two daughters, Susan and Sandra, and a son, William A. 2nd.



**Our Mistake!**

Last month in our story on Thilmany Pulp & Paper Co., we pulled a 'booboo' and printed the right captions with the wrong pictures. Here they are, correctly identified: MARTIN L. DOWNS (left), Technical Director, and R. E. DRIESSEN (right), Converting Supt.

#### **Swedish Firm Takes a Look at Nova Scotia Potentials**

The first action by a Scandinavian company to take a "look see" at North America in order to duplicate grades it has been making was recently confirmed in New York by Karl Clauson, president of Stora Kopparberg Corp.

In early September, the Honorable W. T. Dauphinee, minister of trade and industry, Nova Scotia, revealed that an investigation of potentials of establishing a 250-ton-per-day bleached pulp mill was underway by Stora, which has an established market and growing demand for certain grades of bleached kraft and sulfite pulps now imported into the U.S.

Stora is interested in establishing a source of supply in North America, Mr. Clauson says, and tests of Nova Scotia wood recently were conducted in the company's mills in Sweden. Results indicate that these special grades can be produced here, he said.

Mr. Dauphinee says that Nova Scotia is known to be a good location for certain markets in the Atlantic States, Great Lakes area, Europe and South America. All are present or potential consumers of these pulps.

Stora's parent company in Sweden is a leader in developing modern scientific forest management in Sweden, and the forests of Nova Scotia are said to be similar in character.

Engineering and forest studies will be based on the Belanger and Bourget forest inventory now in progress by the department of land and forests, and its facilities will be available to a team of three Stora foresters who will be flown from Sweden for a three-month study.

The Province will cooperate in working out a forest management plan to assure the mill of a supply to supplement wood purchased from private woodlot owners.

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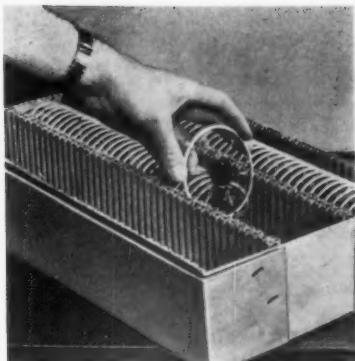


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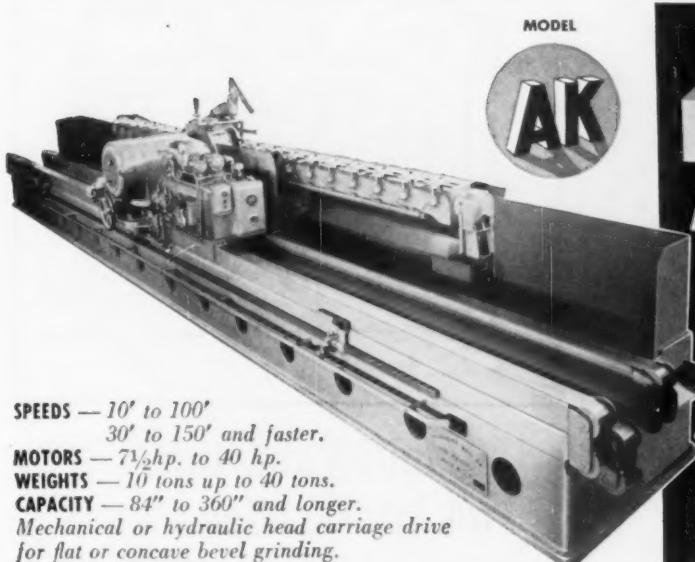


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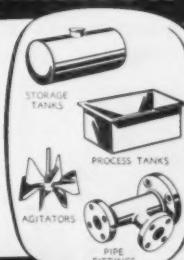
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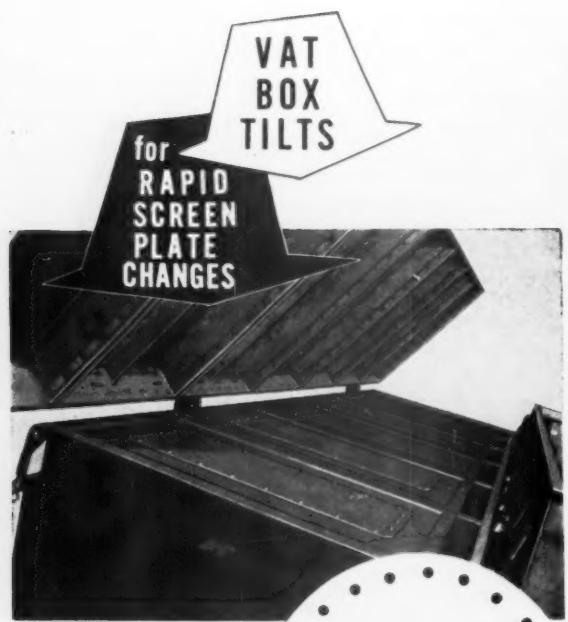
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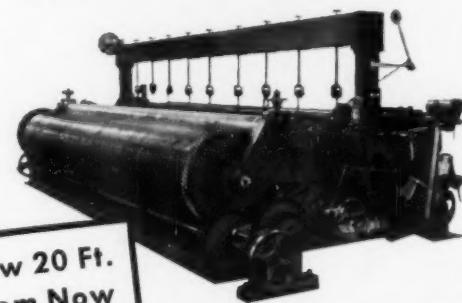
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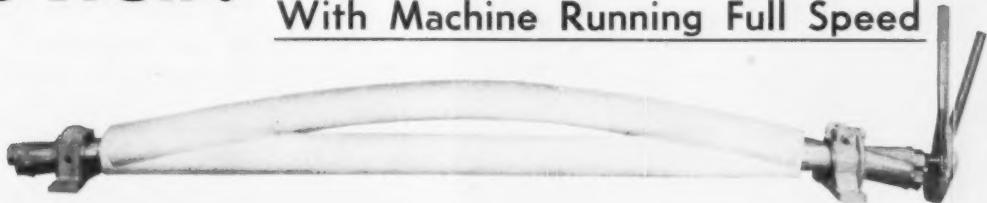
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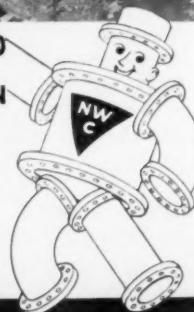
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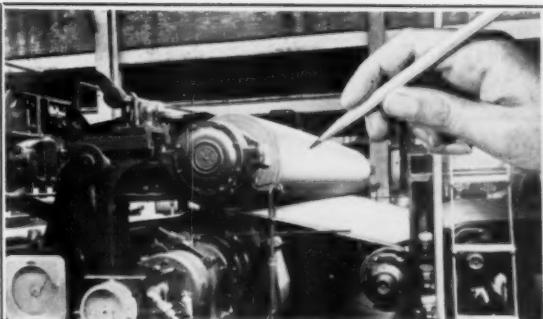
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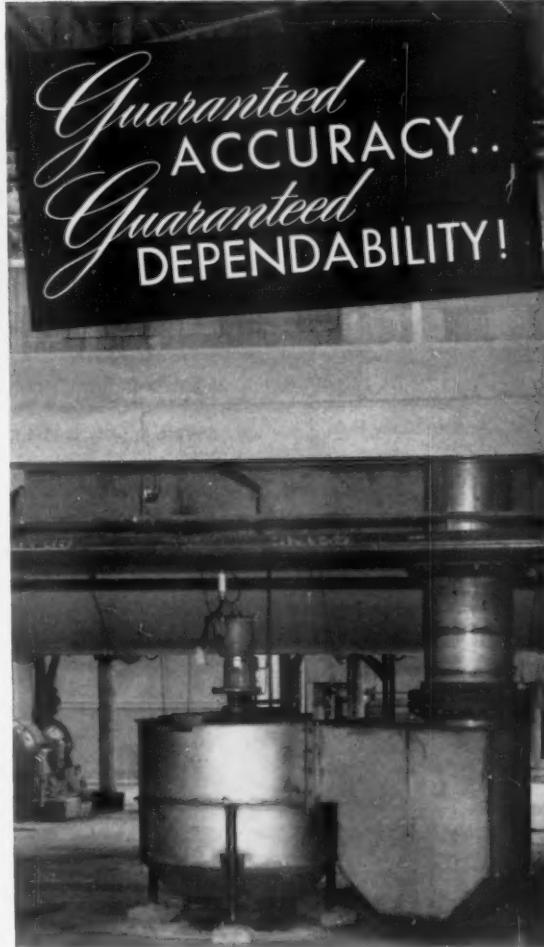
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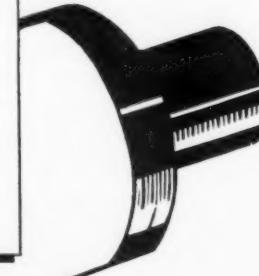


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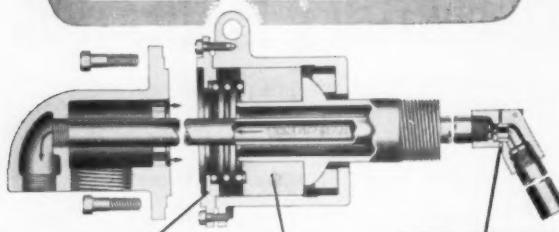
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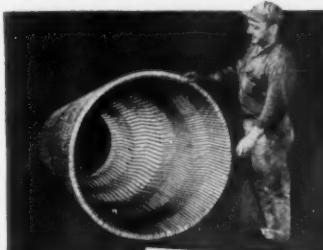
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## More Babies—More Paper

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Of course, on a population basis alone, a rapidly increasing demand for pulp and paper is inevitable, unless substitute materials cut into this market.

Population increases have been reckoned at about 2,500,000 a year. Being a government body, subject to all the pressures this implies, the Census Bureau tends to lean backward in its forecasts, we are told. Births actually will be at a rate of a million to a million and a half higher per annum.

A scientist in Michigan says it is a fallacy that wealth and a low birth rate go together. Just the opposite is true, he says. In good times there are more births. And in the real estate field, there are reports that young people are raising bigger families, want more bedrooms in their new homes.

All this adds up to good news for pulp and paper products.

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Many observers are looking for a leveling off for a few years, and leaders are urging better timing of future expansion, so as not to glut the market. But over the long pull of 15 to 25 years, a big increase in pulp and paper requirements is generally foreseen. Continued peace and prosperity and more babies will make this a sure thing.

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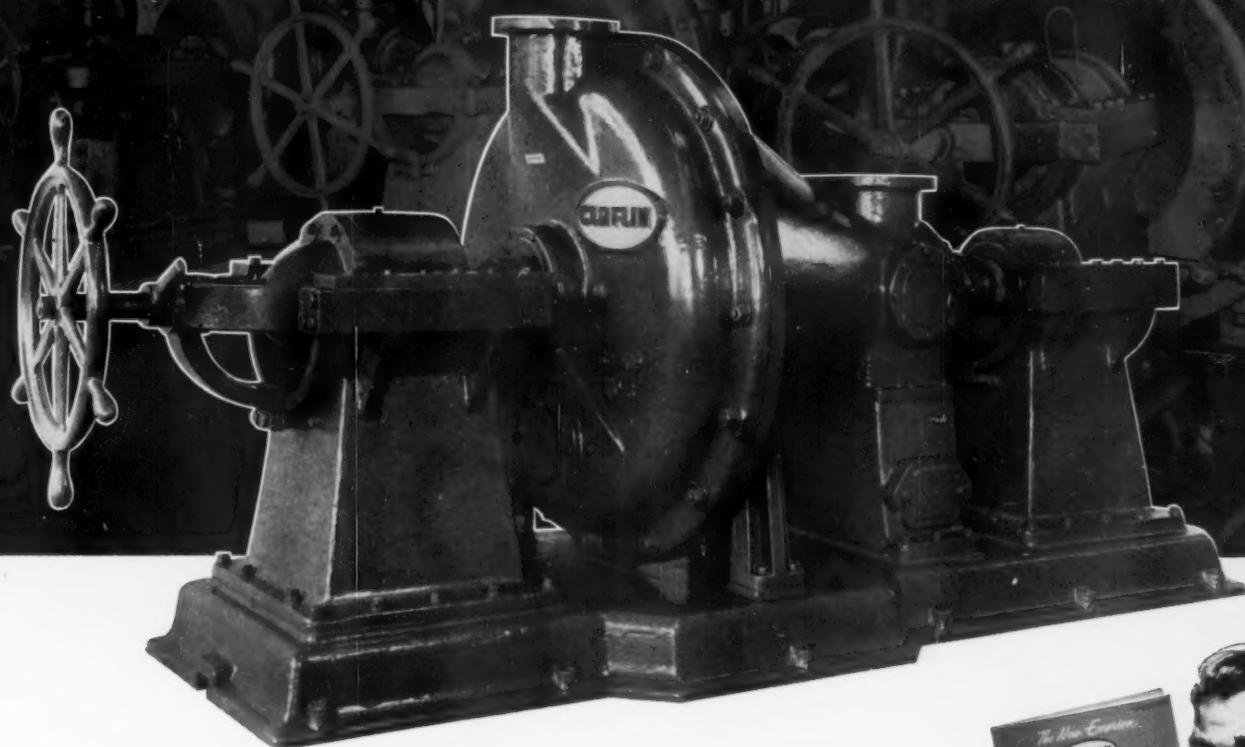
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